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WAGE INCREASE PROPOSAL OFFERED RAILWAY SHOPMEN

WASHINGTON, D. C., August 25.—President Wilson today submitted to representatives of the six railroad shopmen a proposal to pay them about four cents an hour increase on a basis of ten hours pay for eight hours work, retroactive May 1.

The president told the committee of 100 representing the shop crafts that any greater increase now would greatly increase the cost of living and therefore was inadvisable.

Certain classes of shopmen, such as car inspectors and car repairmen, who have been receiving 53 cents and 55 cents, respectively, would be paid 57 cents an hour under the proposed scale.

The shopmen's representatives told the president they would submit the proposition to their members, whom original demands were for an increase of 25 percent. The president requested that the men not act on the original proposition of having a congressional commission pass on the wage demands. A vote of the shopmen on this proposition is now being tabulated.

VLADIVOSTOK SURROUNDED BY INSURGENTS

LONDON, August 25.—Vladivostok is surrounded by insurgents and the town is filled with refugees, according to a Bolshevik wireless report received here. It states that a Japanese squadron has arrived at Vladivostok.

AVIATORS IN BIG RACE

MINEOLA, N. Y., August 25.—The international aerial derby from New York to Toronto and return started from Roosevelt flying field at 1:35 p. m. today. The first pilot to get away was Lieutenant P. H. Logan in a LePere machine with Sergeant W. J. Shackelford as navigator.

Major General Charles T. Mendenhall, chief of the air service of the United States army, dropped a bombshell as a signal for Logan to start after a five hours' delay resulting from unfavorable weather conditions. The start from the American and numbered nearly 50 and were divided into three groups, the first including 13 contestants.

The second aviator to take the air was Captain J. F. Foster, who is carrying a message from President Wilson to the Prince of Wales. He left the ground at 2 o'clock. The other machines followed at five minute intervals.

On the take-off, an "Orion" machine piloted by Roland Robb, turned turtle and the other machines were called back. No one was hurt but the start of the other competitors was delayed.

Robb's family got away at 12:25 p. m. He was followed by Sergeant Cosmo, in a De Havilland, four minutes later. The other 16 contestants got away a few minutes apart.

Prisoners Cost U. S. Big Sum

PARIS, Saturday, Aug. 23.—(By the Associated Press)—Ten thousand American troops are held in France to guard 40,000 Germans taken prisoner by the Americans who cannot be returned to Germany until the peace treaty has been ratified by three powers. It is estimated that it is costing the United States roughly \$1,000,000 monthly to care for these prisoners.

England's German prisoners number a quarter of a million and more than 60,000 British soldiers are required to look after them.

Both the United States and England expected to release the Germans when the peace treaty was signed, but France was unwilling that this should be done until ratification was complete.

When General Pershing, the American commander in chief, said for the United States on September 1, it is estimated there will still be about 30,000 German prisoners. American troops in France, not including the 6800 of the Rhine.

"VALIDATES ROBBERY OF EGYPT'S FREEDOM"

WASHINGTON, D. C., August 25.—Lithening Great Britain's legal position in Egypt to that of a highwayman, Joseph W. Folk, counsel for the Egyptian peace delegation, told the senate foreign relations committee today that the Versailles treaty proposed to validate the "robbery" of Egyptian independence.

Having occupied Egypt after construction of the Suez canal under the pretext of protecting the Egyptians from rebels, Mr. Folk said, Great Britain in 1914 "seized the Egyptian government and now proposed under the treaty to reduce her to a subject nation."

The treaty, he said, would make Egypt's grievance against Great Britain an international question so that it could not be dealt with by the League of Nations.

"The people of Egypt," the witness declared, "want a League of Nations which will protect their independence and not destroy it. They ask you not to do them that self-determination for which more than a million Egyptians fought in the war just ended."

The delegation went to the Paris conference by the Egyptian representative assembly, Mr. Folk said, were held in "prison imprisonment" and were not permitted to even send a representative to the United States. He declared the protectorate claimed by Great Britain over Egypt was "the same sort of protectorate that a highwayman would claim over your pocket."

TORONTO, August 25.—The first airplane to start in the international airplane race from Toronto to New York and return left here at 12:25 p. m.

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OHIO STATE FAIR OPENS AT CAPITAL

COLUMBUS, O., August 25.—Paths from all points of the state led to Columbus today for the opening of the Ohio State Fair. With good weather prevailing, the annual show likely will break all previous attendance records, officials predict. The fair will close Friday night.

Trains, trucks and wagons poured into the fair grounds yesterday carrying livestock, prize fowl and exhibits. Entries in all departments are the largest in history, officials say.

The reproduction of Chateau Thierry is the principal feature of the entertainment program. Two hundred soldiers will participate in a "show" which will be staged at 8 o'clock tonight. A pageant in which 2,000 school children will take part, also is on the day's program.

Trotting races will be run daily.

"FORCE NEEDED TO RESTRAIN GERMANY FROM SEEKING FUTURE WORLD DOMINATION"

WASHINGTON, Aug. 25.—While Germany has been rampaged for the present, "nothing but force is likely to restrain her from seeking world domination at the earliest opportunity" in the opinion of the senate judiciary subcommittee appointed to report on the validity of the proposed treaty by which the United States would go to the aid of France in the event of an unprovoked attack by Germany.

In holding that ratification of the special defensive treaty is within the constitutional powers of the treaty making bodies of the American government, the subcommittee in its report submitted today to the full committee said it was for the interest of the United States that France should be allowed to recuperate and recover her old time vigor.

"She will then," said the report, "be a great shield and protection to us against the German menace in the future."

The report was written by Senator Walsh, Democrat, of Montana, in collaboration with Senators Nelson and Kellogg, both of Minnesota, and Fall of New Mexico, Republicans, and Senator Overman, of North Carolina, Democrat, constituting the subcommittee.

"It will be seen," the report said, "that the covenant only aims at protection against Germany and that it is of a temporary character to be merged in and substituted by the authority of the League of Nations, when that is established and put into operation. As the armistice covers the ground between the end of the war and the ratification of the treaty of peace, so the treaty in question aims to cover the ground from the time of the adoption of the treaty until the League of Nations provided for in the treaty, can take its place. In other words, the treaty in question is of a temporary character to be merged in the final treaty of peace.

"Such a treaty is clearly warranted by the international law and usage and is therefore, within the scope of the treaty making power of the United States."

The full committee deferred action on the report until next Monday.

GERMAN PRISONERS ESCAPE FROM STOCKADE AT CAMP SHERMAN, MANY RECAPTURED

CAMP SHERMAN, CHILLICOTHE, O., August 25.—Their dreams of escape from the German prisoners' camp here blasted, 19 of the 21 German prisoners who made a getaway last night, escaping a severe electrical storm, were held in close confinement today. Two of the prisoners, Johann Fekland, 22, and Wilhelm Link, had not been recaptured up to a late hour this afternoon.

Camp officers, expressing the belief that the Germans received aid from outside sources in planning and making their escape, subjected each of the 19 to a thorough grilling today. Meanwhile an extended search was instituted in this and adjoining states for the two remaining at large. Officers intimated on their belief that Eckland and Link had probably boarded a train and were speeding eastward in hopes of reaching the coast.

The story told of the escape rivals in thrills and ingenuity tales of civil war days. In fact, the prisoners admitted having modeled their plans upon stories they had read of escapes effected during that war.

The building in which the Germans are confined is situated directly across a company street from a deserted barracks. From the cellar under their quarters the Germans tunneled under the company street into the cellar of a kitchen of the deserted barracks, a distance of approximately 50 feet. Their only tunnels were three short-headed shovels, an axe, and four boxes, attached to runners, like those in which they hauled the dirt excavated. This dirt was then placed under the barracks, the tunnel when completed was three feet high, 24 inches wide and three feet under ground.

The prisoners asserted they were three days at their task.

During last night's storm the Germans stole through their tunnel into the kitchen of the deserted barracks building where they changed their "prison uniforms" for civilian clothes. So far the prisoners refuse to divulge the source of their civilian outfit, trying to lose a window they escaped in various directions.

Ten of them struck out for a bridge over the Scioto river and at 11 o'clock boarded a freight train. Later five of those were captured in Chillicothe and the remaining five, when they were about to enter Columbus on a fraction car, two more were apprehended in a Chillicothe depot, two near the base hospital, one of whom put up a vicious fight before being subdued, two near the camp community house, two near on Chillicothe streets and another at 2:30 this morning near the camp.

Believing the prisoners claim that their attempt to escape was actuated by the monotony and lack of diversion in their prison life, camp officials today stated all of the 21 had been treated to a movie show the previous night.

RESUME SEARCH FOR AVIATORS

SAN DIEGO, CAL., August 25.—Army aviators from Rockwell Field and troops from Fort Rosecrans, resumed today the search for Lieutenant Cecil Connelly and Frederick Walter, Mexican border patrol duty, who have been missing since last Wednesday, with orders to find them dead or alive.

The aviators were expected to devote their attention to the stretch of broken and chaparral covered desert lying between Campo, in eastern San Diego county, and San Felipe, near the head of the Gulf of California, between which points an American airplane, piloted by a mine forty miles south of Campo, reported he had seen an airplane in flight Wednesday.

Two detachments of troops, carrying complete field equipment and six days' rations, have been ordered to precede the search southward from the border. A third detachment under command of Captain C. O. Crank, medical corps, equipped with motor truck and carrying gasoline and food for 21 days, proceeded yesterday southward by way of Tinajas, lower California. Captain Crank said he would continue 200 miles south of Tinajas, and 60 miles inland from the Gulf of California, where he would camp.

BANDIT LEADER KILLED BY AMERICAN AVIATOR; U.S. TROOPS WITHDRAWN

GERMANS RESUME REIGN OF TERROR IN UPPER SILESIA

PARIS, August 25.—Germany has declined to lay aside troops to police Silesia before they have that right under the treaty, which stipulates that they are to maintain the peace in the province.

The Silesian situation is unsatisfactory and the Germans are reported to be bringing about a recurrence of the recent reign of terror in that province.

"FURTHER INFLATION OF PRICES THREATENS"

WASHINGTON, Aug. 25.—Further inflation of food stuff prices would result from the passage of the Kenyon bill to regulate and license the packing industry, U. S. House, manager of the commercial research department of Swift and Company, testified today before the senate agriculture committee, where the bill is under consideration.

"The main objection to the bill," Mr. Swift said, "is in the fact that it is based upon reports of the federal trade commission, which are entirely untrue. The commission has been guilty of playing fast and loose with the facts. This would be serious enough, but the matter does not rest there, because the bill, if passed, will further inflate the already high cost of living."

"Elemental facts in the meat business," Mr. Swift said, "prove that the packing profit, so-called, transactions was about two cents on a dollar."

"The Kenyon bill goes either half face with the farmers' end of meat production, or with the packers' part of the business if designed to affect the high cost of living," he said. "If the farmer is hit, he will cut down production, which will bring higher stock prices. If the packer is hit and his business crippled, the result will be higher manufacturing costs and these too will have to be passed on."

Mr. Swift said his respect to Commissioner Colver, of the trade commission, a previous witness, remarking that "many of his statements here were exaggerated and inaccurate."

Swift and Company own a retail store in England, and Mr. Swift said he had been unable to find that any other American packer did so.

Mr. Colver came in here and told you gentlemen that the five large packers controlled over 75 percent of the business in a hidden way. He continued, "They handle less than 50 percent, and I assure you there is the keenest competition between all of them."

"He told you the packers handled 100 commodities. Let me reveal to you some of the processes by which he reached that figure. He mentioned as separate items butter, oleomargarine and oleo. All three are the same thing. He took 25 cuts of beef and listed them as 25 items. He gave 150 items as a list of by-products of cattle dressing." He mentioned 35 items of sausage.

"Mr. Colver made the flat statement that the packers have not put any new capital into the business from outside sources since 1904. Swift and Company alone has added \$45,000,000 new cash capital from the sales of shares. Mr. Colver persistently ignored the number of packing concerns in business in this country. Some 235 concerns are engaged in interstate business besides the big packers, and more over, several hundred concerns do a big local and intra-state business."

"If the Kenyon bill is passed, the splendid and elaborate service given the country at large by the big packers will be interfered with in a way that will hurt everybody concerned, producers, packers and consumers."

PLEADS GUILTY TO VIOLATING STORAGE ACT

NEWARK, O., Aug. 25.—The first plea of guilty to violation of the Smith cold storage law in the state's war on food profiteering was obtained here today, when Richard Rhodes, manager of the Newark Ice and Cold Storage Company, pleaded guilty to operating his plant without a state license. The court reserved sentence until after the state supreme court has passed upon the validity of the law, which is being tested in the Columbus pork storage case.

WARNING SOUNDED ON INDIA

LONDON, Aug. 25.—A grave warning about possibilities in India arising from the activities of the extremists was issued today by Sir Harcourt Verney Larett, who has held many important positions in the Indian government, in the course of testimony before the committee of the government, which is considering the India bill.

RIOTING IN PITTSBURGH

PITTSBURGH, PA., August 25.—Rioting broke out here this afternoon when the receivers for the Pittsburgh Railway Company began operating trolley cars for the first time since the car men's strike began 11 days ago.

Three cars, the only ones to leave the barns, were stoned and windows smashed. Strikers in automobile trucks fired into crowds. One car was wrecked in a downtown street. Mounted police charged mobs. A number of persons were injured and many arrests made.

MARFA, TEXAS, August 25.— Major James P. Yancey, commander of the American punitive expedition told the Associated Press over the army field telephone at Marfa today that he considered the report authentic that Jesus Reuteria, bandit leader, had been shot and killed from an American airplane last Tuesday.

The bandit was slain at a point 15 miles south of Candalaria, in Navarrete canyon.

"We got what we believed to be confirmation of the reports of the killing of Jesus Reuteria by Lieutenant R. H. Cooper," Major Yancey said. "Mexicans on the trail told us of the report and others near Coyame confirmed it."

First reports of the killing at Reuteria were brought to the border last night by Lieutenant Harold G. Peterson, one of the American aviators held by the bandit for ransom.

Major Yancey also confirmed the statement made by Lieutenant Peterson that a light patrol of American troops came upon a large patrol of Carranza troops near Coyame Saturday night while pursuing Apolonia Reuteria, the pursuer of the bandit leader, and the pursuit was abandoned.

The American patrol returned to the camp of the expeditionary troops for a conference. At this conference Major Yancey said a decision was reached to withdraw Sunday as the Americans had been unable to locate a hot trail.

MARFA, TEXAS, Aug. 25.—Three hundred and seventy-five American volunteers who last Tuesday entered Mexico in pursuit of the bandits who held Lieutenant Harold G. Peterson and Paul N. Davis for ransom, were back on American soil today, following abandonment of the chase yesterday. The troops today resumed patrol of the border.

Heavy rains yesterday which obliterated the trails of the bandits brought a decision to abandon the chase after contact had been made with Carranza troops. The troops after riding for hours in a heavy rainstorm began at 11 o'clock to cross the river at Rocky Ford, seven miles from Marfa.

The main column was delayed for two hours because of the storm. The cavalry slept under roofs last night for the first time since last Monday, when the expedition was formed.

During the six days the American punitive expedition was below the border four bandits were killed by the troops and another by airman while nine bandits are reported to have been captured at Coyame by Carranza soldiers. The captured bandits are said to have been members of the Jesus Reuteria band which captured Lieutenants Peterson and Davis.

Lieutenants George K. Rice and J. T. Bonquet, American army aviators, who were reported missing below the Rio Grande yesterday after they had left Rocky Ford for Mexico to reconnoiter for the punitive expedition, were located last night at Terlingua, Texas. They had become lost in the rain storm and made a forced landing. Neither plane was injured.

A report brought to the border by Lieutenant Peterson that Jesus Reuteria, leader of the bandits, was killed by American airman could not be confirmed.

The cavalry troops came out of Mexico in excellent condition and without casualties, after five days of hard riding.

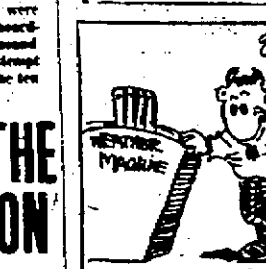
ARRESTED FOR HOARDING

SEATTLE, WASH., August 25.—Troff Seattle constabulary men were arrested here charged with hoarding several hundred thousand pounds of potatoes in an attempt to force prices. Four of the ten are Japanese.

REJECT THE DECISION ON BANAT

PARIS, Aug. 25.—(Havas)—The Romanian cabinet has refused to accept the decision of the peace conference relative to the division of Banat and Temeswar between Rumania and Serbia, according to the Echo de Paris, which adds that Serbia is reported to be considering the general mobilization of her army.

BILLY-BUT-IN —TIMES NUMBER NINE—



It'll soon be time to put the straw hat and Panama on the shelf and trot out the old soft hats and cooler weather lids. After the Reds play the World Series we'll have a wet and dry election to talk about. Here's for tomorrow:

OWEN—Fair tonight; cooler in east portion; Tuesday fair.

The extremes in local temperature today were: High, 77; low, 66.



WILSON WANTS CHECK ON ALIENS TO UNITED STATES

WASHINGTON, D. C., August 25.—To prevent an influx of aliens into the United States after peace is declared, President Wilson in a message to congress today asked that the passport law in effect during the war be continued for one year after the proclamation of peace.

BELGIUM TAKES HER SHARE OF TERRITORY

PARIS, Aug. 25.—(Havas)—Belgian authorities today took official possession of the district of Malmoe, which was ceded to Belgium by Germany under Article 34 of the peace treaty.

AUSTRIA TO GET TREATY AT ONCE

PARIS, August 25.—The treaty with Austria will be considered by the supreme council this afternoon and will probably be handed to the Austrian delegates tomorrow. Five days will be given for consideration unless the Austrians ask for a longer delay.

BERLIN, Sunday, Aug. 24.—(By the Associated Press)—George Meach, financial writer for the Tagesspiegel, criticizes the United States for failing to assist Germany financially and asserts that Americans are even guilty of incitation to depress the value of the mark artificially.

"Americans are exploiting Germany's needy situation most selfishly," he declares. "By delaying the grant credit which Germany needs and depressing the value of the mark with the intention of obtaining such German products as dyes, chemicals and brushes at low prices. On the other hand, they offer American products to German buyers at as high prices as possible. It is poor comfort for us to know that the Americans are playing the same game as their former allies."

HARBONE'S MEDITATIONS

MISTUS SAY: DIS HEAR
PROBITION DONE COME
EN DEY GWINE BE LOTS
O' HAPPY HOMES TOW
—DEY SHO IS -- DEM
WHUTS GOT IT STOOD
WAY IN DE ZELLAR!



HONDURAN REBELS ARE DEFEATED

SAN SALVADOR, REPUBLIC OF SALVADOR, Sunday, August 24.—Honduran revolutionary forces have been defeated and scattered with a loss of many killed, wounded and missing, by government troops in the neighborhood of Santa Rosa, near the Guatemalan frontier, according to an official Honduran dispatch.

CONTRACT FOR PULLMANS

WASHINGTON, D. C., August 25.—The railroad administration today signed a contract with the Pullman Company calling for an annual rental of \$11,750,000.

RAIN POSITIONS RACES

BOSTON, Aug. 25.—Rain caused the postponement today of the opening of the grand circuit meeting at the Revereville track.

Additional Statistics On Service Department

The following is the fourth installment of the state examiner's report on the service department. Other installments will follow in the Times from day to day.

Section 4331, General Code, provides: "When it becomes necessary in the opinion of the director of public service in the prosecution of any work or improvement under contract, to make any alterations or modifications in such contract, such alterations or modifications shall only be made upon the order of such director, but such order shall be of no effect until the price to be paid for the work and material, has been agreed upon in writing and signed by the contractor and the director on behalf of the corporation, and approved by the board of control."

Any change in a contract from that as set forth in the original contract causes an alteration in such contract. If material is used in the construction, or work done which is not provided for in the original contract, the same works an alteration or modification of the contract. The statutes do not fix the extent of the alteration or modification but simply state "alterations" or "modifications." Hence any variation from the terms of the original contract causes an alteration or modification of such contract. "This being true, such change, in the light of the law, must be provided for by such contract as is set forth in Section 4331, General Code, as above quoted."

Section 4332, General Code, provides: "No contractor shall be allowed to receive anything for work or material, caused by an alteration or modification, unless the contract is made in such manner."

"In such manner" has reference to the manner as provided in Section 4331, General Code.

The courts have held: "There is no implied liability ex contractu of a municipality and it becomes obligated only in the manner fixed by statute, persons dealing with municipal corporations must ascertain at their peril that contract is made in accordance with statutes" 65 O. S. 210. "Persons dealing with the municipality must at their peril, take notice of the limitations upon its powers imposed by statute." 36 O. S. 558, 575.

In view of the facts as above set forth, and the law in relation thereto, a finding as an illegal payment is hereby rendered against The S. Monroe and Sons Co., in the amount of \$723.43, and against Kelley Bros. in the amount of \$494.4, the aggregate of the items as heretofore set forth for which no bid was had in the original proposals nor provision made through supplementary contract.

By the holding of the courts it is mandatory that the statutory provisions be observed in the making of contracts in order that the contractual liability may lie against the municipality. While the risk or peril attendant upon an illegal or erroneous contract, or the performance of work, for which, under the statute a contract is required, attaches to the contractor, yet this does not absolve the officials from their responsibility under the law, or from culpability by reason of their wilful negligence or wilful ignoring of the plain mandates of its provisions. The rights of the contractor are deserving of consideration and they should not be imperiled simply because the corporation assumes no liability.

Under the law the officials are placed on record as to their endorsement and official sanction of claims that may arise through a departure from the stipulations and specifications of the original contract. Hence the importance of a strict compliance with the provisions as outlined in the law, when it becomes necessary for the public work to alter or modify a contract. It is necessary to pursue such a course not only to protect the rights of the contracting parties, but also, to shield the officials in charge from adverse criticism.

In this connection we desire to state that the alteration or modification any work is done which may be embraced in the supplemental contract, and not upon order of any other officer or employee in the service department. Even in any contract, if any made, must be through the director of service before the engineer has any authority in law to order any change in a contract so as to do work not covered in the contract or specifications, neither has he the authority to determine the price which may be paid for work which is not provided for in the original contract. It is the engineer's duty to suggest and recommend, and when he has done this his authority ceases and it is left to the director of service to act.

As before noted, all supplemental contracts, to be effective, must be entered into before the work is done.

Under date of October 10, 1917 the Bureau of Inspection and Supervision of Public Offices states:

"Under the provisions of Section 4331, General Code, it is very readily seen that the supplemental contracts must be entered into prior to the performance of the additional work."

The object of entering into a contract is to provide for something to be done, not something that has been done.

The department of service has just as much authority to enter into a contract for the construction of a pavement or sewer, after the work has been completed, as it has to enter into a supplemental contract after the work is completed. Neither condition is tenable under the law. The provisions of Section 4331, General Code, relative to the execution of supplemental contracts are so clear that there can be no excuse for a misinterpretation.

We have at some length discussed the law in relation to the modification and alteration of contracts in order that the officials may be fully informed as to the course to pursue should it become necessary at any time to depart from the original provisions of a contract for special improvement work.

The contracts entered into during the period audited were carefully examined and found to be correctly executed. They were signed by the director of service, upon the part of the city, the contractors, attested by the clerk to the director of service. The contracts bear the signature of the clerk of the board of control, approving the award, and the signature of the solicitor, approving the same as to legal form and execution.

It is well to note in this connection that all contracts should either be prepared or approved by the solicitor, and the director of service should sign no contract until it has been favorably passed upon by the legal adviser of the city.

The city auditor states that he did not furnish the director of service with a certificate, certifying that the money was in the fund covering the city's portion of the cost under the contract. Under the provisions of Section 3908, General Code, the auditor is required to certify to the city entering into the contract on behalf of the city that the money is in the treasury unappropriated for any other purpose, and the Supreme Court has held that such certificate applies only to the city's portion of the costs. The certificate of the auditor should be attached to the contract.

It would appear that but two copies of the contracts are made, one copy being filed with the auditor, the other delivered to the contractor. Under the provisions of Section 4334, General Code, the contract is required to be executed

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The director of service should not fail to file and carefully preserve a copy of each contract entered into by him.

In this connection we call the attention of the director of service to the following excerpts from the opinion of the Attorney General, under date of January 11, 1918:

"When a director of public service advertises for bids for a contract in excess of \$500.00, without authorization of council in accordance with Section 4328, G. C., such bids are illegal and void. The subsequent authorization of council does not remedy the defect; bids must be re-taken."

Under date of April 30, 1913:

"Under Section 4328, G. C., a director of public service may not enter into any contract without authorization of council, the mere appropriation of funds for a general purpose cannot be construed to amount to a sufficient authorization to justify such contract by the director of public service."

There should be no contract executed by the director of public service unless the authorization of council has first been procured.

It would appear that no provision was made in the contracts for a time limit for the completion of the work thereunder, hence there was no provision for a bonus or penalty.

We not only believe that a provision in a contract providing for damages or penalty, should the contractor fail to complete the work in time, the same being coupled with a compensatory clause allowing the contractor a bonus should he complete the work ahead of the time limit, is enforceable, but that it is a wise provision as through it dilatoriness in construction work may be forestalled.

For the protection of the interests of the public every contract should contain a time limit clause, with proper provisions for a penalty or liquidated damages if there be an unnecessary prolongation of the work beyond such time limit. The director should recognize that the element of time is the essence of a contract.

At the time of the execution of the contract the contractor is required to furnish a bond in amount approximately one-half of the cost based upon the preliminary quantities of the engineer and the unit prices in the proposal.

It is provided in the contract that as the work progresses, monthly estimates shall be rendered the contractor, ten per cent. of the amount of the work, after deducting former payments, to be retained until the completion and acceptance of the work. At the time of the rendition and payment of the final estimate there shall be deducted five per cent. of the actual cost of the improvement under the contract, the same to be retained for a period of two years after the acceptance and completion of the work; this amount so retained being for the purpose of protecting the city against defective workmanship or materials which may develop within said time.

No Arrests Circus Day

For the first time in local police history, no arrests were made on circus day. Chief Clark stopped all the games of John Robinson's big circus, which chance early Saturday night.

Lanthorn Captured

Constable Rocky Newman, of Radon, recaptured James Lanthorn, who broke jail at Radon recently, and brought him to the county jail for safe-keeping. Sunday, Lanthorn is charged with breaking into the office of the Radon Milling Company several days ago.

Free Trip To Canada

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Patton have gone to Quebec, Canada, where they will spend their vacation. Mr. Patton is the local representative of the Mutual Life Insurance company and for writing more than \$200,000 worth of insurance last year he and his wife will have all their expenses paid on their delightful trip. Agents who were able to enjoy the trip will meet the president of their company today.

Col. Marting Is Better

The Ironopolis of local interest creating. This will be good news to all Ironopolis people, who are hoping that the Colonel will be sufficiently recovered to take an active part in the opening of the Marting Hotel. Col. Marting is under treatment in Cincinnati.

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VANCEBURG NEWS

(Vanceburg Sun) Saturday Marshal Ruggles arrested one Milan Cooper, charged with bringing intoxicating liquors into dry territory. At his trial in Police Court, Judge A. H. Parker swore that he saw four quarts in his grip and Ben Stricklett swore that he saw him about one-fourth of a pint. Two other witnesses, Bruce and Pat Cooper, swore that they did not get any. Without the City Attorney offering any statement or argument the case went to Judge Perran for action, who promptly freed him, claiming the law permitted the bringing in and treating of liquors in dry territory.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Martin and daughter of Portsmouth were the fair guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Moore. Mr. Martin was head of the band that furnished music at the Fair. Misses Goldie Brown and Tennessee Hickie left Saturday for Portsmouth where they will spend a week visiting their aunt.

James W. C. Halbert and family and guests, Misses Anna Jane O'Neill of Lexington, Charlotte Wilson and Mr. Charles Haley of San Francisco, California, left Monday for a two weeks' outing at Camp Teanaka.

Mrs. Sam Murphy entertained in honor of her niece, Miss Gladys Belvin of Portsmouth, Wednesday evening. The evening was spent in music and dancing, after which refreshments were served to the following: Misses Clara Bowman, Charlotte Wilson, Helen Davis, Lois Mithewson, Lois Mae Hancock, Helen Chadwick, Blanche Lykins, Frances Halbert, Clara Lee Hasler, Messrs. Maurice Bowman, Shelby Chadwick, Foster Adams, George Bell, Sam Pollett and Carl Peitry.

Mr. Sordan Back Home

Alvin N. Jordan, president of the Board of Trade is home from a visit along the lakes. He is feeling fine and put in a busy day looking over his accumulated mail.

Mr. Gahm At The State Fair

County Farm Agent Walter F. Gahm left today for Columbus, where he will attend the State Fair this week. He will have charge of several agricultural exhibits at the fair.

Will Return To Notre Dame

Raymond Switalski left Monday for Cincinnati, where he will spend a week with his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Switalski. He will on September 1, resume his studies at Notre Dame, South Bend, Ind.

A. I. U. Will Initiate Eight

At the regular meeting of the A. I. U. Tuesday evening eight candidates will be initiated, and a number of applications submitted on. Following the business session ice cream will be served. The new chapter, G. S. Carroll desires a large attendance as he would like to meet the members.

Back From Wooster

Nate Williams and John Phillips have returned from Wooster, O., where they dug out considerable sand in the wells that supply the city with water.

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Fine Dress Gingham in rich plaids, Per yard	30c
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32 inch extra fine Gingham, in new plaids, stripes and plain colors, yard	48c
Kiddy Cloth for rompers, dark and light, Yard wide Percales, light and dark, per yard	39c
32 inch Silk finish Foulards, per yard	50c
Yard wide Plaids, dark Fall plaids, per yard	79c
Half Wool Serges, per yard	65c
50 inch Serges, per yard	\$1.50

Children's School Dresses, rich plaids and striped Gingham, ages 6 to 16 years.	98c, \$1.69 and \$2.48
Children's Kindergarten Dresses in plaid Gingham, ages 3 to 6 years.	98c and \$1.48
Children's Middies	50c to \$1.48
Children's School Hose, white and black, all sizes, per pair	25c
Boys' heavy sturdy Hose in sizes 6 to 10 1/2.	
Children's School Hose, all sizes, per pair	15c
Women's Silk Hose, a vast assortment at 38c, 50c, 75c, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2, \$2.25	
Children's Gingham Rompers	50c

Wonderful values in Fall and Winter Coats and Suits, Dresses. Truly surprising their newness and charm. Wonderful array to choose from that make selecting a real pleasure. Interesting prices sure to please the most economical. All alterations free. Select your coat or suit now. Every indication is that they cannot be duplicated at these prices. We accept Liberty Bonds at their face value on Coat and Suit purchases.

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NEW BOSTON HAPPENINGS

Miss Marjorie Hall, of Stanton avenue has as guest, her cousin, Miss Edna Lambdin, of Fullerton. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Myers of Grace street have as guests, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cramer, son Robert and daughter Ruth, of Ashland. Mr. and Mrs. John Meek of Stanton avenue, entertained as guests at dinner yesterday, Mrs. Charles Osborne of Lucasville, Mrs. Virginia Hayes and daughter, Alma, Mr. and Mrs. Barlow Meek and children Harry and Katharine of Stanton avenue. Mrs. William Maddough and son Russell of Stanton avenue, Mrs. Charles Stricklett, and daughter Margaret, of Rhodes, avenue, motored to Wakefield yesterday. Mrs. P. Redwine, of Stanton avenue, went to Moorehead, Ky. for a two months visit with home folks. Mrs. N. Maynard, of Ohio avenue, is ill with asthma. Mr. Philip Blume, of Pine street, who had his arm broken, while cranking his machine several days ago is getting along nicely. Mr. and Mrs. Everett Brown and children, were guests Saturday of his father, Mr. B. F. Brown, of Ohio avenue. Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Griffin had as guests at dinner yesterday, Rev. Daniel Murphy, of Paris, Ky. Mr. and Mrs. Preston Bussey of Stanton avenue were guests last evening of Mr. and Mrs. James Morrison and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Krick, of Nauvoo. Ralph Elliott, of Grace street, has returned home from a two week's visit with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. James Garlinger, of Detroit. Mrs. Luther Hall, of Stanton avenue, Mr. and Mrs. William Simons, and children of Portsmouth, spent yesterday with Mr. and Mrs. George McClave of Wheelersburg. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Willis of Stanton

avenue had as guests yesterday, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Willis and daughter Dorothy, of Portsmouth. Miss Geneva O'Neal, of Gallia avenue had as guest yesterday, Miss Anna Williams of Seloto Trail. Mrs. H. C. McCormick, of Hayport Road, who underwent a surgical operation Saturday at the home of her brother, Ezra Huffman, of Gallia avenue is getting along nicely. Mr. and Mrs. Gus Moore, of Gallia avenue, have returned home from a week's visit with relatives in Ashland, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Ed Pickle, of that city.

At Steel Plant Walter Edwards of Ninth street has taken a job in the Whitaker-Gleason plant.

SPECIAL PRICES

3 pounds Jersey Sweet Potatoes, 25c
1 dozen Sugar Corn, 20c
12 peck good Potatoes, 30c
1 dozen, 30c
Glass Jars, 5c and 10c
1 dozen Rubbers, 10c and 15c
Sealing Wax and Nails.

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Children's Fancy Gingham Dresses, size 6 for \$1.00 up to size 16 1-2 for \$3.75 each.

Children's Middy Dresses in White size 8 to 12 \$3 at, each

Children's Middy Blouses in white and colored, each \$1.75 to \$2.75

Misses' School Hose in white, black and brown.

Special lot of fine ribbed white hose 40c to 45c values for, per pair 29c

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Boys' heavy ribbed Hose, size 6 to 10 for, per pair 25c

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The Retail Store
Kodaks Drugs Soda
419 Chillicothe Street

Woman May Die From Burns

Mrs. Samuel Hanes, aged 59 years, one of the pioneer residents of Soloko county was badly burned in her home at Portsmouth two miles from South Webster at 9 o'clock this morning. Her injuries are serious.

Her clothes caught fire from an open stove and before her son John could remove the flames she was seriously burned about the face and arms and hands.

Dr. Stevens of South Webster was hurriedly summoned to the Hanes home. He found the woman in a precarious condition and relatives have been summoned to her bedside.

Mrs. Hanes is the mother of William Hanes of this city and she is well known in Portsmouth. Her husband was with her this morning and despite his advanced years he also fought bravely to put out the flames before Mrs. Hanes was dangerously burned.

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DRY or moist eczema and other skin eruptions are quickly relieved by this powerful liquid. It is a household necessity. It is a powerful liquid. It is a household necessity. It is a powerful liquid. It is a household necessity.

Spiders Defeated

The village nine of So. Webster defeated the Spiders yesterday before one of the largest crowds of the year at So. Webster by the score of 4 to 0. It was the closest game of the season with the sixth inning when the farm boys knocked down to business and solved Meyers' curves for two tallies. They also scored one in the 7th and one in the 8th. Townsend the village star had the Spiders at his mercy, leading them to one hit which was gotten by Carl Monk in the 9th inning a 5 have await to left center. Despite a few arguments the game was very close and exciting, both teams playing a fine brand of base ball. Townsend and Bratton worked for So. Webster, while Meyers and Monk performed for the town slickers. The score:

South Webster	AB R H PO A E
Scott, ss	4 1 1 1 0 0
H. Potts, 1b	4 2 2 14 1 1
Mittendorf, 2b	2 1 1 0 1 0
Bratton, c	4 0 0 6 1 0
G. Potts, inf	4 0 2 2 0 0
Cole, rf	3 0 0 2 0 0
Strath, lf	4 0 0 1 0 0
Schuler, 2b	4 0 0 0 2 0
Townsend, p	3 0 0 1 0 0
Total	32 4 6 27 14 1
Spiders	AB R H PO A E
Blake, ss	4 0 0 1 0 0
Giles, inf	4 0 0 1 0 0
C. Monk, 2b	4 0 1 3 1 1
H. Monk, 3b	4 0 0 2 0 0
Torgess, 1b	3 0 0 6 1 0
W. Monk, c	3 0 0 8 1 0
Chapin, lf	3 0 0 1 0 0
Farmer, rf	3 0 0 0 0 0
Meyers, p	3 0 0 0 1 0
Total	31 0 1 21 11 2

Three base hits—C. Monk. Striden bases—G. Potts, Strath. First base on balls—Townsend 9; Meyers 2. Hit by pitcher—H. Monk. Struck out—Meyers 8; Townsend 7. Double plays—C. Monk to Torgess. Passed balls—Bratton 1. Time of game—1:45. Umpire—Kedger. Attendance 200.

Giant Game Postponed

The Pittsburgh-New York game scheduled for this afternoon was called off on account of rain, a general rain sweeping the East today. The St. Louis Brooklyn game was also called off.

LEMON JUICE TAKES OFF TAN

Girl! Make bleaching lotion if skin is sunburned, tanned or freckled.

Squeeze the juice of two lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of Orchard White, shake well, and you have a quarter pint of the best freckle, sunburn and tan lotion, and complexion beautifier, at very, very small cost.

Your grocer has the lemons and any drug store or toilet counter will supply three ounces of Orchard White for five cents. Massage this sweetly fragrant lotion into the face, neck, arms and hands each day and see how freckles, sunburn, and tan disappear and how clear, soft and white the skin becomes. Yes! It is

Court House

Petition To Sell Real Estate
Attorney A. Z. Blair, as administrator, filed a petition in probate court against Josephine Madge Lilly, and others, to sell real estate to pay debts. Summons were issued for minor defendants.

24 In Jail
Twenty-four men, women and boys are on the boarding list of Sheriff Ricker, this being the number now confined in the county jail.

Asks For Divorce
Lillian Phillips vs. Charles Phillips is the title of a divorce suit filed in the

Hearing Continued
In the matter of the guardianship of Mary A. Montgomery, an aged and infirm person, the hearing was continued until Thursday, August 28, at 9 A. M. The said hearing will be held at the Montgomery residence on Dogwood Ridge.

Marriage Licenses
Floyd A. Buckle, 23, carpenter, Lucasville and Pearl Burchett, 23, housekeeper, Lucasville. Squire A. J.

SUNDAY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

There was a decrease of 270 in the Sabbath school attendance yesterday, the total being 4238. The attendance a week ago was 4508. Trinity church still remains in first place while the First Christian keeps second place. Sunday's record:

Trinity	562
First Christian	502
Second Presbyterian	337
First Evangelical	283
Mainly	279
Franklin Avenue	248
First Presbyterian	240
First Baptist	235
Bigelow	221
United Brethren	197
Wheelerburg M. E.	174
Sciotoville M. E.	169
Grandview Avenue	160
Culver Baptist	121
New Boston Baptist	121
New Boston Christian	105
Kendall Avenue Baptist	82
Allen Chapel	72
New Boston M. E.	70
Pleasant Green Baptist	45

AND TOLD BANDITS JUST WHERE TO GO



Capt. Leonard J. Matlack.
Captain Matlack is the man who put Capt. Paul H. Davis of Strathmore, Cal., on the back of his horse, after the fiercest companion, Lieut. Harold C. Peterson of Hutchinson, Minn., was safe in United States territory, and rode off, thumbing his nose at the Mexican brigands who demanded the unpaid half of the \$15,000 ransom money.

HIS PLANE WRECKED
COLUMBUS, O., Aug. 25.—Lieut. Kenneth C. Liggitt, pilot with the all-American pathfinder aerial squadron, arrived here this morning by train, his plane having been wrecked in an accident at Altoona, Pa. Other planes are at Pittsburgh and are expected to arrive late today or tonight.

IS NAMED BY LABOR FOR BURLINSON'S JOB



James J. Forrester.
James J. Forrester of Cincinnati is labor's choice for postmaster general, according to the resolutions adopted by the Atlantic City convention of the American Federation of Labor which asked for the removal of Mr. Burlinson. Mr. Forrester is now president of the Brotherhood of

BIGGEST MONDAY IN FAIR HISTORY

COLUMBUS, O., Aug. 25.—The biggest Monday in the history of Ohio state fairs was the statement of N. E. Shaw, secretary of the Ohio board of agriculture, today. Secretary Shaw predicts that the attendance this year will exceed the record breaker of 1917 by 50,000. Weather conditions were perfect for the opening. All of the buildings were well filled with visitors early.

WANTS ALL NATIONS TO BAR CONSCRIPTION

WASHINGTON, D. C., August 25.—Withdrawal of the United States from the League of Nations within two years unless all member nations abolish conscription is proposed in a bill introduced today by Senator Jones, Republican, Washington. The measure also provides that the American representatives "shall not consent to any decision involving or requiring us to use military or naval forces unless expressly authorized or directed by Congress."

OBITUARY

Oliver Chamberlain.
Oliver Chamberlain, aged 63 years, well known resident of Soloko county, answered the final summons Sunday morning at six o'clock at the home of his brother Ralph Chamberlain, who resides near Vernon.

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The Wonderful Beauty
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Keeps the skin clear, soft, healthy.
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At leading toilet counters. If they haven't it, by mail, two size, 60c. and \$1.20.
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deducted from the home in Vernon Thursday morning at 10 o'clock. Interment will be in Vernon cemetery.

L. H. Hutchinson.
Word was received here Saturday of the death at Chillicothe of L. H. Hutchinson, brother of Sheriff Charles Hutchinson. The deceased was a former resident of Waterloo, but had been located in Chillicothe for a number of years. At the time of his death he was engaged in the restaurant business. His death was due to blood poisoning, arising from a boil, and Sheriff Hutchinson was on his way to Chillicothe when his brother died.

Cleo Barber.
Beautiful and impressive were the obsequies of one of Portsmouth's most widely known and popular young girls, Cleo Barber. Funeral services were conducted Thursday afternoon at Bigelow M. E. church, by Rev. O. E. Barn- grover of the U. B. church, in the absence of Miss Cleo's pastor, Rev. Charles E. Chandler. The church was crowded with relatives and friends who came to pay their last respects to an unusually loving and beloved little girl into the church first came the officiating minister followed down the aisle, and to the church, by a bevy of Cleo's special girl friends, carrying armfuls of the most exquisite of floral tributes, and the last six, acting as honorary pall bearers of the pure white casket, half hidden from view by a magnificent floral basket. A song, "Safe in the Arms of Jesus" was softly and effectively sung by several little girls from the U. B. church and from Bigelow Juvenile Home and Foreign Mission Circle, of which Cleo was always a leading and faithful member. The text, from Mark 5:23, "The Damsel is not Dead, but Sleepeth" was ably and very feelingly discoursed and gave comfort to the sorrowing parents and others, as did the earnest prayer following the scripture reading and the first song. Another vocal selection, Cleo's favorite, "Jesus, What a Life For a Sunbeam" was rendered by a quartet of children. An appropriate poem was given by Mrs. Carrie Batey. The concluding song was a solo, by an intimate friend of Cleo's, the title being "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere." The pleasing little singer, who also led in the other songs, was Sarah Louise Walker. Miss Grace Andre, who, for several years, has been a music teacher of Cleo's, a decidedly gifted pupil, arranged the music for the funeral services, and clearly presided at the piano. "Nearer My God To Thee" was the selection played while the vast audience passed by the open casket case, to take a last look at the darling, pink silken clad child, as lovely in death as in life. The last to surround the bier were the greatly bereaved parents and other nearest relatives.

The following was the obituary notice read by the minister during the ceremony with which Cleo was honored:

Cleo Barber was born August 12, 1905, in this city, and died August 19, 1919. She was the only child of Oscar and Florence Barber. At the age of two years she was given to her father's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Al. Windle, by her mother, and ever since has resided at their home, as their beloved daughter. Through their influence she became interested in religion, being made a member of Bigelow Cradle Roll, when Rev. J. C. Jackson was pastor of Bigelow and joining the church when her foster father, Al Windle, placed his membership in Bigelow, where, ever since her conversion to Christ, Mrs. Windle has been a faithful member.

Cleo was also one of the most enthusiastic and liberal members of Bigelow Juvenile Home and Foreign Mission Circle, and many times expressed a wish to become a missionary as her life work. The last time she mentioned this desire was to Mrs. Thomas Nichols, who was at her bedside the day Cleo became ill with the dreadful typhoid which ended her sweet young life, Tuesday last at 5 o'clock in the

morning—just about ten days after the beginning of her alarming illness. Besides near relatives she is survived by a host of friends, to mourn her apparently untimely death, which came as a shock to everyone.

"That none knew her but to love her" was indeed true of Cleo, and was attested to by hundreds of people, young and old, rich and poor, high and low, who called at the Windle home to view the remains of the dear young girl, sleeping so peacefully amidst dozens of those floral offerings. These flowers truly told of the remarkable popularity of the pretty one, at rest in their midst, she being the loveliest flower of all, and one fit for the kingdom, having been called hence by her Master in the sweet young innocence of her brief life. This life ended just two weeks after she had celebrated her 14th birthday anniversary with a lovely party at the home of her foster parents, who always indulged her every reasonable wish, and who are heart broken over the loss of their much cherished one—a death which would be unbearable did they not believe that God knoweth best, and that He never makes a mistake even though His chastening rod seems at times a little hard. Truly "God moves in a mysterious way His wonders to perform" and "Behind a frowning providence, He hides a smiling face." He surely doeth all things well. Interment was made in Greenlawn cemetery.

Mrs. Gertrude Keen.
Mrs. Gertrude Keen, wife of Joseph Keen of Malone, Ky., closed her eyes in everlasting sleep Sunday evening at 8 o'clock after a two weeks illness with typhoid fever. Mrs. Keen was well liked by all who knew her and her many friends will deeply mourn her demise. She was a home loving woman and was always happy when her loved ones were near her. The deceased was 32 years, 4 months and 20 days old. Residing numerous relatives and friends she leaves a husband, Joseph Keen, and three small children, one sister and four brothers. Funeral services will be conducted some time Tuesday. Burial will take place at Gray's Branch cemetery.

Mrs. Mary Ketchbach.
Mrs. Mary Ketchbach, Wheelerburg, in her eighty-seventh year, passed into the Great Unknown at 4 o'clock Sunday morning, after a most active and useful life. In her life's span she had seen three great wars, had taken unusual interest in all about her, and had ever taken the attitude that she had "seen God's hand through a lifetime and in all was for the best." She leaves to mourn her demise, a son, Maurice, and a grandson, Hugh, of Wheelerburg, besides friends who are legion here at home and wherever her travels had taken her.

She had been born in Virginia and her childhood had been passed there in that atmosphere of culture of the pre-bellum days inimitable any place else. When the Civil War broke out she became one of the nurses in the war and served faithfully during the dark days of civil strife. Later she and her husband came to Wheelerburg where he vivid personality has left its abiding imprint. She was a great church worker and took an interest in the growing church life of Wheelerburg. She was a member of the All Saints church of Portsmouth.

Last winter her health was not good as usual and Mrs. Ketchbach went to Florida, traveling the distance unaccompanied and returning alone after a very delightful visit. It was her second trip to Florida for the winter. Her age made this trip remarkable. A woman at 86 does not often show such undying youth.

Her spirit of youth was what had kept everything in life so charming to her. She never lost interest in the little things of everyday or the big things happening in the world. She was an enthusiastic Red Cross worker, knitting a number of garments for the Wheelerburg Red Cross.

Her place in that community will never be filled as her activities were always colored by her unique personality.

The ill health she suffered recently did not bow her determined spirit and she lived to the fullest her final days passing into the Great Unknown with the same devout fervor which had been a characteristic of hers.

The entire community at Wheelerburg feels that in her passing they have lost a most unusual personality which had been rounded out under the unusual circumstances of a life lived greatly through turbulent times.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 at her late home. Burial in the Wheelerburg cemetery.

Truman E. Thompson.
Truman E. Thompson, son of Miles and Catherine Thompson, was born April 12, 1876 and met death August 19, 1919, aged 43 years, 4 months and 7 days.

On November 5, 1917 he was united in marriage to Mrs. Della Johnson. The faithful wife and two small children, Mary and Truman, Jr., also one son, Everett, by a former marriage, one sister, Mertie and one brother, Cary, are left to mourn his death.

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of Franklin Furnace, closed her eyes deceased was 56 years old on Tuesday evening at 2:30 o'clock at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Carl Glass, 1746 Seventh street. Mrs. Cooley had been ill since last November with intercurrent pneumonia and had not come unexpectedly. She was a highly esteemed resident and possessed a wide circle of friends who will mourn her death. The following children, Mrs. Carl Glass of 1746 Seventh street, and Charles, Phyllis, Fred, Curtis and Jefferson, all at home and her husband, Riley Cooley of Franklin Furnace. Short funeral services were conducted from the family residence, this city, Monday morning at 9:20 o'clock with Rev. A. L. Marting of the Franklin Avenue church in charge and accompanied by the family.

Funeral services of the late Mrs. Theresa Johnson who passed away Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of her son Frank Johnson of Louisville were conducted from the Holy Trinity Catholic church at 8 o'clock with Rev. H. J. Taske in charge. The remains were laid to rest in Pond Creek cemetery.

Johnley Funeral
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To Enjoy Luncheon

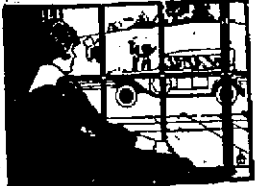
Directors and members of the Business Men's Association will enjoy their weekly luncheon at the Elks Club, Tuesday, at 11:45 a. m. Those wishing to attend should send their names to Secretary William Harris not later than 9:30 Tuesday morning.

HOLY REDEEMER CHURCH NEWS

Holy Redeemer school will open Tuesday, September 2. The following teachers will constitute the teaching staff for the coming year:
St. John's Business College, Sister Mary John assisted by Sister Mary Delphina. High School, Sister Mary Innocent assisted by Sister Mary El-

SCIOTOVILLE AND WHEELERSBURG

SCIOTOVILLE
Mr. and Mrs. Delmer Scott and son Harry of Linwood, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Hambo and Clarence Sanford spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Schuler of Scioto Trail.
Mrs. Kate Patterson of Center street is seriously ill with pneumonia poisoning caused by eating cantaloupes.
Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Mowery and children and Miss Violet Marsh motored to South Webster and spent the day with Mrs. Mowery's mother, Mrs. F. Hagan.
Mrs. W. H. Marsh and son Gerald of Fourth street, have gone to Ashland, where they will spend two weeks with Mrs. E. L. Ward.
Mr. R. P. Edgington who underwent an operation at Hempstead hospital, is rapidly recovering.
Mrs. Henry Hagan and two sons, spent today with relatives at Beaver.
Miss Bess Todd of Broadway street has received word that Sergeant Joe Whitte Collins of Portsmouth, has arrived at Camp Sherman after thirteen months abroad with the 388th Central Postal Directory.
Mr. and Mrs. Loren Yost had in guests yesterday, Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Fullerton of Stockdale.
Mrs. Alma Yelley and children have returned home an extended visit with relatives at Washington C. H., Troy and Dayton. She was accompanied home by Bernice, Hazel and Everett.



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Portsmouth, Ohio, Aug. 25, 1919.

To Whom It May Concern:

We have been reliably informed that there has been certain unscrupulous men traveling over the country, making a house-to-house canvass and claiming, in the sale of their goods, to represent the "Whitmer Medicine Co." We wish it understood for the protection of our many customers, especially in Ohio, Kentucky and West Virginia, that all such claims are absolutely false, that there is but one "Whitmer Medicine Co." in existence and that company is located in Portsmouth, Ohio, and is incorporated under the laws of Ohio and does a wholesale business only.

Any person making a house-to-house canvass and claiming to be selling remedies made by the "Whitmer Medicine Co." is a fraud.

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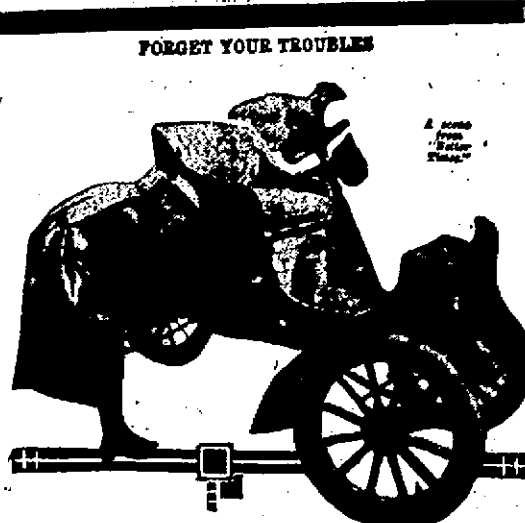
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TOMORROW—"The Screen Letter Box" and a Good Comedy.

WEDNESDAY—ANTONIO MORENO in "Perils Of Thunder Mountain."

Positively First Showing in Portsmouth

FIRST GAME POSTPONED

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 25.—The first game of the scheduled double header today between Cincinnati and Philadelphia was postponed on account of wet grounds and rain. An attempt was to be made to play the second contest.

TRAFFIC IS PARALYZED BY STRIKE

LOS ANGELES, CAL., August 25.—Traffic on the four railroads entering Los Angeles virtually was paralyzed today by the strike of trainmen who quit their posts last week in sympathy with the platform men of the Pacific Electric Company, which operates interurban lines in Southern California. The strike situation was further complicated early today by the strikers and brakemen of the Southern Pacific Railroad at Indio, California, walking out in sympathy with the members of the brotherhood in other Southern California cities. This action effectively blocks all traffic to Texas and Arizona points.

Nature's Remedy
KIDNEY PILLS
Better than Pills! GET A For Liver Bils. 125c Box

JOSEPH'S CABINET RESIGNS

PARIS, August 25.—The resignation of the Hungarian government of Archduke Joseph, previously reported in press advices, was announced in messages received by the supreme council today. The messages indicated that the resignation occurred at 8 o'clock Saturday night and that the formation of a new cabinet had begun. In the new cabinet, the dispatch states, Paul Garami, minister of justice in the Pellid cabinet, will be minister of Commerce, while Premier Jules Pellid will be minister of food. Karl Passer, minister of home affairs in the Pellid government is designated as minister of labor in the reconstructed ministry, and M. Craus, as minister of foreign affairs. The other places have not yet been filled.

EIGHT MILK DEALERS ARE INDICTED

DAYTON, O., Aug. 25 Eight playmen dealers were indicted in a report issued today of the special grand jury which has been investigating the high cost of living in Dayton for the past month. Immediately upon being served notice of the indictment against the Dayton Ice Cream and Dairy Company, J. L. Layman, treasurer of the company, refused a plea of guilty. The fine is from \$20 to \$5,000. The charge against the milkmen is that of boosting prices and operating in restraint of trade. Indictments were to be served upon the other seven companies and individuals Monday afternoon.

Quit Laxatives, Purges; Try NR

All Tonsils—Tonsillectomy First Night

It is a mistake to continually dose yourself with so-called laxative pills, cathartics and force bowel action. It weakens the system and makes constipation worse. Why don't you begin right today to cleanse your constitution and get your system in such shape that daily purging will be unnecessary? You can do so by using a few of Nature's Remedy (NR Tablets) and take one each night for a week or so. NR Tablets do much more than merely cause pleasant easy bowel action. This medicine acts upon the digestive as well as the eliminative organs—promotes good digestion, causes the body to get the nourishment from all the food you eat, gives you a good hearty appetite, strengthens the liver, overcomes biliousness, regulates kidney and bowel action and gives the whole body a thorough cleansing out. This accomplished you will not have to take medicine every day. An occasional NR tablet will keep your body in condition and you can always feel your best. The Standard Remedy (NR Tablets) and prove this. It is the best bowel medicine that you can use and costs only 50c per box, containing enough to last twenty-five days. Nature's Remedy (NR Tablets) is sold, guaranteed and recommended by your druggist.

Stewart's Drug Store, Portsmouth, Ohio.

SOCIETY

Miss Minnie Jolly has returned to her home in Mayville after spending a week with Miss Margaret Hane of Officers street.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Scott and family will arrive home this week from a three weeks' fishing trip through Northern Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Schwartz of Cincinnati are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Chas. J. Legler of 1104 Gals street.

Miss Kate M. Potts, of the Anderson Bros. dress-making department, left this morning for Seaman to spend her three weeks' vacation with relatives.

After having spent a week at "Chestnut Burr Inn," on the West Side, Mrs. Mattie Scott and son Virgil, Mrs. Ruth M. Foley, Miss Nan Foley, Mamie Foley, Mr. and Mrs. C. Tracy and daughters, Misses Mabel and Anna, have returned home. For the week-end they had as guests Mr. and Mrs. Henry Beecher, Frank Beecher, Mrs. Lawrence Neudorfer and daughters, Miriam and Margaret, and Dan Warner. On Sunday afternoon a picnic party composed of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kahmer, Misses Louise Micklethwait, Nere Adams, Ethel Kirsch, Pauline Oakes, Edith Zubars, Florence Daehler, Mildred Purdum, Myrtle Parlow, Irma Schirrmann, Helen Litch, Loma Bodmer, Anna Bergan, Margaret Shackelford, Sara Miller, Nell Stubbs, Ida Davis, Marie McCall, Elsie Perrod and Messrs. W. L. Dickey, C. A. Zubark, A. K. Keumler, Elton Schmidt, Harold Hayes, George McCall, Earl Hayes, R. A. Sheels, Harold Schirrmann, Edwin Zubars, Charles Abbott, James Wood, W. K. Adams, J. E. Copeland, V. E. Compton, Lawrence Wyner, Clyde C. Payne, Frank Oakes and Ray Abbott were guests at the Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Toom and children, of Ashland, Ky., are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. W. McKendrick of the West Side. They made the trip by automobile.

Mrs. Lillian Lough has returned to her home in Vinton, O., after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Curran, of Officers street.

Miss Ada Wilson and Edwin Shamp, of the West Side, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. Broome of London.

Mrs. Fred Zeiler, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis at Hempstead Hospital, is getting along splendidly and was removed to her home on Sixth street today.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Osborne, of Officers street, will leave Tuesday for Columbus to make an extended visit with relatives and friends.

Miss Neil Craighead, of Martinsburg, is enjoying a two weeks' vacation and has just returned home from a visit in Huntington, W. Va.

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EXHIBIT Theatre TOMORROW and WEDNESDAY

KING W. VIDOR'S

"BETTER TIMES"

OPTIMISTIC—HAPPY AND HUMAN

What You'll See In "Better Times"

ZaSu Pitts—the Most Original Comedienne of the Screen—In a Delightful Play of Love and Laughter.

A Side-Winding Ford Model of the Vintage of 1902 Hitting On Its One Cylinder.

A Human Kipled With Trained Ears—Wigwagging the S. O. S. The Latest Demonstration of a Card-Shark's Method of Filling His Poker-Hand.

Gastronomic Operations of Soup-Inhaling Country-Hotel Boarders.

The Bus That Meets All Trains Versus The Flyver That Jumps All Fences.

A Real Base-Ball Game With A Pinch-Hitter Who Delivers the Goods.

There's no sorer in being a grouch. Pessimism never got anybody anywhere except into a state of mental rot. Life isn't such a rotten game if you smile now and then, and it's a lot less rotten if you make other people smile.

"Better Times" isn't a preachment against pessimism nor a sermon on happiness, but it illustrates, in a clever and entertaining fashion, some very human truths.

You'll feel better after seeing "Better Times." Your food will digest with less opposition, and the birds will sing more sweetly. If you've got a friend with a grouch bring him to see "Better Times"

PRICES

ADULTS20c
CHILDREN10c

Bring The Kiddies

ST. JOHN'S BUSINESS COLLEGE

Will resume classes Tuesday, September 2. The College offers thorough courses in

Bookkeeping
Shorthand and Typewriting
Commercial Law
Commercial Arithmetic
Commercial Correspondence

Terms reasonable. For further information call at The Sisters Convent 805 Off-nere St. Phone 237.

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Let this Bank be of service to you in making that underpinning solid, so that your business will be "like a house that is built upon a rock."

THE OHIO VALLEY BANK

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Deliver Three Cars

The Superior Motor Co. delivered Scripps-Booth, touring cars Saturday to Miss Alan, Jacob Hobstetter and Herbert C. Ricken.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Fisher and children, Thelma, Earl and Mildred, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fairre and son William, Mrs. Margaret Seifer, moved to Huntington, Sunday, and spent a pleasant day with Mrs. Chris Fisher and family.

TOBACCO HABIT DANGEROUS

Dr. J. C. Connor, formerly of Johns Hopkins hospital, thousands of men suffering from fatal diseases would be in perfect health today were it not for the deadly drug Nicotine. Stop the habit now before it's too late. It's a simple process to rid yourself of the tobacco habit in any form. Just go to some up-to-date drug store and get some Nicotol tablets. Take them as directed and for the retention the money if they fail. Be sure to read later and interesting announcement by Doctor Connor soon to appear in this paper. It tells of the danger of nicotine poisoning and how to avoid it. In the meantime try Nicotol tablets; you will be surprised at the results.

Back From Convention

George Wurster has returned from Boston where he attended a meeting of the United Drug company. Four special train loads of druggists were carried into Boston for this meeting. Mr. Wurster says the meeting was the best he has ever attended and it was one round of pleasure after another.

Postmaster John C. German, of Ironton, who is well known here, has been very ill for several days.

For the purpose of procuring an automobile passenger truck for use in transporting pupils to the local schools, the Board of Education of Valley Township, Scioto County, State of Ohio, will sell bonds to the amount of \$1400. One bond of \$500 to be due April 1st, 1922; one of \$500 to be due April 1st, 1923; and one of \$400 to be due April 1st, 1924, and all to be paid out of the tax on the bonds.

Will relieve acute indigestion. Keep it in your home. Price 50c and \$1.00 at all druggists. Send 2c in stamps to The Jackson Medicine Co., Zanesville, O., for sample package.

By order of the Board of Education, JAMES B. DOLL, Clerk. Aug. 25-3 Monday

GRANDMA'S Powdered Soap

Put a tablespoonful in a pail of water and see how wonderfully it cleans the floor. Easy on the hands—but hard on dirt. Use Grandma instead of bar soap and suds. Measure out only what you really need. It was never so necessary to save as NOW. Using bar soap is wasteful. It wastes money and you rub off more than you need. GRANDMA'S powdered soap is safe for every article of clothing. Even the most delicate silks and georgette crepes take on new life when you use it.

Try this Powdered Soap Today! Grandma's Powdered Soap Saves TIME—Saves WORK—Saves SOAP Your Grocer Has It!

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BY GEORGE McMANUS



INJURED IN AN AUTO COLLISION

George Kielman, of 409 Front street, was severely injured in an automobile collision at Third and Union streets Sunday afternoon. He was rendered unconscious about 15 minutes and was injured about the head, chest and arms. He was reported better at his home this morning.

Harry Knost was driving his machine north on Union street and Kielman was coming west on Third street, when their cars collided.

The Kielman car after hitting the Knost car struck a big elm tree in front of the Kessinger home and the machine was badly damaged. Mr. Kielman was thrown out and it was thought that he had been seriously injured. After he was revived he was taken to his home. Mr. Knost's car was only slightly damaged and he was not hurt.

To Resume Old Job

The Central League baseball season will end on Labor Day. Edward Conwell, who is playing third for the Brantville team will arrive home next week and will resume his old job at the Smoke House.

River News
The Ohio river registers 10.6 and falling here.

The Tacoma is due down this afternoon for Cincinnati.

Chris Green is due up Tuesday morning for Huntington, due down at 10 P. M. Tuesday for Cincinnati.

On Vacation
Clerk Harry Johnson, of the local police headquarters, is enjoying his ten day vacation in Columbus and Cincinnati, according to post cards received by friends here.

Werner Wins Cane

The English Fencers air gun case at Kuntz Arthur's Bicycle shop was drawn by Alva Werner, who held ticket No. 17, which was the lucky number.

SCIOTO COUNTY BOARD OF HEALTH TO BE ORGANIZED SEPTEMBER 3RD

Prosecuting Attorney George W. Sheppard has received word from State Headquarters that the new Scioto County Board of Health will be organized at the court house at 10 a. m. September 3. At this meeting all the mayors in the county will be present and all the chairman of the Board of Trustees of the townships in the county will take part. This new Board of Health is in accordance with the Hughes law which goes into operation in Ohio the most advanced and thorough health program in any state in the union and one which will be watched with extreme interest by every other state organization.

NEW SHEET MILLS READY SEPT. 1

Five of the new sheet mills in the Whiteaker-Giesemer plant will probably be ready for operation by September 1. They are receiving their finishing touches.

PLAN TO REOPEN HALLEY COAL MINES

TRONTON, Aug. 25.—Messrs. Simon Lebed and G. E. Carley of Portsmouth motivated to Ironton on business yesterday, having come here to look after the plans for opening the mines of the Halley Coal company which they now control.

LAST CALL FOR VICTORY BUTTONS

As far as is known at the local Army Recruiting Office, Thursday, Aug. 28, will be the last chance for discharged officers, enlisted men, field clerks, and field nurses to be awarded the Victory Button in this city.

Those who neglect to present their Discharge papers by noon Thursday will very probably have to mail same to Cincinnati or to Columbus to get the Victory Button, and to avoid this unnecessary trouble you may get the button here in Portsmouth by leaving your original discharge at the Recruiting Office any time between now and Thursday noon so the officer who is seen the button can sign the paper when he arrives. The Recruiting Officer stays in Portsmouth only a couple of hours and it is necessary for your papers to be ready for his signature before his arrival, so kindly be prompt and bring or send your discharge to the office earlier than Thursday noon.

To get the Victory button you must have been honorably discharged from the U. S. Army, and S. A. T. C., whether you went across or served in this country, whether you were disabled or discharged on account of expiration of term or service you are entitled to the button, however the button is given only to those representing the army, and does not apply to discharged Navy men or those in Naval Reserve. There were 90 Victory buttons issued on last Thursday, Aug. 21, and a likewise number issued the previous Thursday, Aug. 14, but this coming Thursday is expected to exceed even the other two and this in view it is requested that the discharges be brought or sent to the office at once and avoid a rush on the last day.

New Agent

O. L. Helm is the new local agent of the H. J. Heier Company, succeeding A. P. Stack in this district. Mr. Helm had for years been located in Cincinnati.

Miss Virginia Irish has returned to her home in Ironton, after a short visit to local friends.

Forty Little Devils

All nicely coated with sugar will help your tired system to take care of the excessive amount of food you consume this hot weather.

One at night makes you feel right the next morning.

Telephone Flood and Blake No. 93 for a bottle—24 cents

BETTER LATE THAN NEVER

Suppose you have lived twenty, thirty or even forty years and have never learned the habit of saving. While your best years have passed, you still have a chance. START NOW.

The Citizens Savings and Loan Association Co.

Assets a million and a half

6 PER CENT. FOR 28 YEARS. WHY TAKE LESS?

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AUTOS COLLIDE

An automobile driven by Miss Margaret Lampton, of 1841 Highland avenue, was slightly damaged when it collided with a machine driven by Miss Gertrude Russell, 1734 Fifth street, at the corner of Fourth and Offshore streets, last evening. Miss Lampton was going south on Offshore, while Miss Russell was driving east on Fourth. The collision occurred when the two cars reached the corner of Fourth and Offshore. The Russell car was only slightly damaged.

"BAYER CROSS" ON

GENUINE ASPIRIN



"Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" to be genuine must be marked with the safety "Bayer Cross." Always buy an unbroken Bayer package which contains proper directions to safely relieve headache, toothache, earache, neuralgia, colds and pain. Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets cost but a few cents at drug stores—larger packages also. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacturing Co. Monac, Germany of Salzkitten.

Lodge Will Meet Tonight

Harmony Lodge K. of P. No. 23 will meet tonight in Selby hall, Galia street.

Business of importance will come up and every member is urged to be present.

On Vacation

It. L. Shumate, electrician at the East End engine house, started a ten days' vacation Monday. He has completely recovered from his recent operation for appendicitis.

Hanan's Rex Last

This medium round toe is very popular with business and professional men, owing to its neat appearance and comfortable fitting qualities. Made of the best brown Russia calf skin, by expert shoemakers. I also have this shape in black in a high shoe. My price today is from four to five dollars under the market price. Better buy a pair now and keep them for next season. Good shoes are an economy.



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A. W. APEL

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The vast majority of the people of this age are looking to the Optometrist for their need in eyeglasses, realizing that with modern scientific instruments the refraction of the eye can be measured better without the use of drugs. We have the most modern equipment.

EXHIBIT TONIGHT

Maie Allison in "The Island of Intrigue"

Also Episode of "Elmo, The Mighty"

STRAND TONIGHT

Marion Davies in "Getting Mary Married"

Also "SUNSHINE COMEDY"

ARCANA TONIGHT

"To The Time Of Ballets" with Pete Morrison

Also A CENTURY COMEDY

LINCOLN TONIGHT

George Walsh in "Lack and Plack"

And A Good Comedy

TEMPLE TONIGHT

"The Love Hunger" with Lillian Walker

Also A BLOYD COMEDY

Little Savings Account Says:

"I Am Interested in Every Working Girl in Portsmouth"

Working girls need me many times.

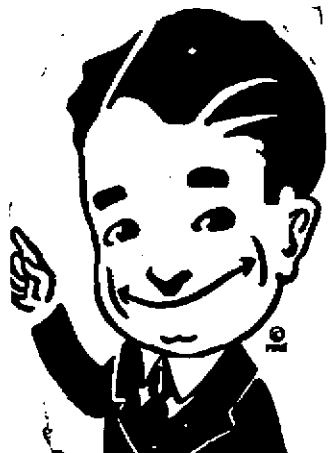
I am the fellow that keeps them going when they are sick. I send them on their vacations. I take care of them when they are out of work. I am their insurance policy against anything that might turn up.

I know you want to meet me girls.

Come to My Home and Let Me Explain the Advantage of Enlisting My Services—

It's convenient to get to and I promise you, you will never regret making my acquaintance.

The First National Bank



Miss Dolly Wise

She is here to answer any and all questions concerning her appearance, dress, hair, etc. Inquiries should be addressed to Miss Dolly Wise, care The Daily Times, Portsmouth, N.H.

Dear Miss Wise.—I am a girl nineteen years old and am going with a boy two years my senior whom I care for very much. Am I old enough to know my own heart? How old should a person be before considering seriously the question of marriage? My friend's parents do not like me. Am I doing right in letting him come to see me? I think my future happiness depends on it.

P. G.
You may know your heart at nineteen, but you are rather young to take the chance by marrying. I think a girl should be in her twenties and a man past twenty-five before taking so vital a step as to become engaged or to marry.

Yes, it is all right to let him come to see you even if his parents do not approve. He is the one to be satisfied.

Dear Miss Wise.—We are girls of sixteen, happily engaged to young men of our home town. Recently our fathers, during an extended vacation on the seashore, met a bunch of girls, attractive and very fascinating. These young men to a certain extent. On their return they seemed more than anxious to see us, yet have mentioned these girls more than we think necessary. In fact, on several occasions, they have said to us, "We have no earthly reason to be jealous, as they wrote us every night while away and their affections have been just the same as before, yet somehow there is a little difference, and although small we cannot keep from noticing it and it hurts. Do you think it possible that we are short a time these boys could care to care for us?"

We are not jealous, we just don't like it.
GOLD DUST TWINS.
You are looking for trouble. Doubtless the young men care as much as ever for you, but you imagine a change in their regard. Stop worrying and take it for granted that they care for you. I think you will find that after they settle down into their routine life they will be just as devoted as they used to be.

Dear Miss Wise.—Will you kindly print a remedy for blackheads? I work where it is very dirty and I have a great many.

H. J. K.
Have your druggist prepare the following lotion: Green soap, one and one-quarter ounces; alcohol, two and one-half ounces; glycerine, two and one-half ounces; borax, one and one-quarter ounces. Rose water, two and one-half ounces; spirit of lavender, two and one-half ounces; alcohol, two and one-half ounces. Every morning wash the skin with the first lotion and then rub in the second. Then wash with warm water.

On a recent afternoon the Ladies Aid Society of the Old Town, Bethel and Friendship churches held a reunion at the home of Mrs. G. D. Williams, of Dry Run. A large crowd was in attendance for a chicken dinner served on the lawn. During the afternoon a musical program was given by Miss Louise Turner and Master Howard Turner. As a surprise Mrs. Ada Becker served refreshments of ice cream and cake.

Mildred Jones is the name given to the little daughter born Saturday, August 23, to Mr. and Mrs. Mildred Boyce, of 1610 Grandview avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. H. of 1801 Highland street, have gone for a two weeks' visit to Quebec, Canada, where Mr. Patton will attend a meeting of the district superintendents of the Mutual Life Insurance Company.

Mrs. D. A. Grimes, of Second street, has gone for a visit with relatives at Falmouth, Oregon and Mt. Sterling, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph, of 1010 Lawrence, of Highland avenue, have returned home from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Barnhart at Charlotte, N. C., and an outing at Ocean View.

Mr. Joseph M. Boies and son, W. M. Boies, returned to their home in Marietta today, having spent a delightful weekend with relatives here.

The second division of the Ladies Aid Society of the First Baptist church will meet Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. William Miller, 1310 Lincoln street.

After a delightful sojourn at Mineral Springs, Mr. J. W. Dillon, Mrs. John G. Dillon and daughter, Helen, Maude Wilson and Charles Hall and Coleman Wilson have returned home.

The Women's Auxiliary of All Saints' Parish will hold the regular meeting Thursday afternoon at the home of Miss Jennie Caruthers, of Seabrook, with Mrs. E. Stricker assisting. A full attendance is desired.

After a visit with her niece, Mrs. Maurice L. Haywood, of Seventeenth street, Mrs. Thomas Betman and Miss Marie Deity have returned to their home in Falmouth.

The members of the Martha Washington Club will be guests of Mrs. John Grimes, of 1647 Highland avenue, on Wednesday afternoon, at 2:30.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Stetler and Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Ogilvie have returned to their home in Wilmington, O., after a pleasant visit with their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Crane, of 1801 Robinson avenue.

Mrs. Nora Heary, of Columbus, is here for a visit with relatives in South Portsmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Russell, of 1794 Fifth street, will leave tomorrow on an automobile trip to Detroit and other places of interest in Michigan. Mr. Russell, a popular mail carrier, is enjoying a three days' vacation.

September 18, the second Saturday in the month, will be tag day for the Home for Aged Women, when pedestrians will be tagged, showing they have given a donation for the benefit of the society.

Harmon, N. Y.—When my first child was born I did not know about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and had a very hard time. I read in the newspaper about the Vegetable Compound and when my second child came I took it and was well during the whole time, and childbirth was a breezy thing. Ever since then I have used it without it for the world. I do all my work and am strong and healthy. I am nursing my baby, and I will take the Vegetable Compound and keep it in good health. You may publish my testimonial for the good of other women, if you choose to do so. Mrs. C. WEST-CORLEAND, Harmon, N. Y.

Women who suffer from displacements, irregularities, inflammation, leucorrhea, backache, headaches and nervousness should lose no time in giving Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial, and for special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

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Tuesday—The Philanthropic Club meets with Mrs. Belmont, corner Locust and Bedford streets, at 7:30 P. M.

The New Hope Class meets with Mrs. H. S. Harty 1804 Robinson avenue. All members are asked to be present.

Wednesday—Prayer meeting, subject "The Bible" Come and bring your Bibles. Jr. B. Y. P. U. subjects "Clara"



TIME FOR SCHOOL

It is getting near the time when the children will be packing their books under their arms and sauntering back to school. Have you everything ready for them to slip on before opening day arrives. If you haven't now is the time to get them and not the last minute, better get them now and set them aside until they are ready to be used, your mind will feel more at ease for having done so, and your pocketbook will benefit in the bargain. That is if you make your purchase here. Our stocks include everything in the way of children's wearables you could need, and are quoted at the lowest figures.

Jack-Tar Middies, just the thing any child loves \$1.50 to \$5.00 for school wear

Mar-Hof Middy Suits in a fine selection of colors and sizes 6 yrs. to 18; 35 to 42 \$6.00 to \$20.00

Middy Skirts of serge, linen and galea from \$3.00 to \$8.50

Children's School Gingham Dresses in a fine selection of colors and patterns to choose from \$1.50 to \$7.50

Sweaters of the new ripple tail and slip over styles, in a vast selection of colors and sizes \$4.00 to \$12.50

Children's Hats of velvets, velours, soft brimmed and bonnet shapes with colored facings \$2.50 to \$7.50

Windsor and Middy Ties in plain and fancy colors 35c to \$1.50

Children's School Shoes, 2 to 4 \$2.50; 4 to 8 \$3.00 and \$3.50; 8½ to 11, \$4.00 and \$5.00; misses 11½ to 2 \$5.00 and \$6.00. Patents, black, violet kid and dark tan.

Marting's
Hats, Shoes, Suits, Dresses

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Switlaski, of Fifth and Offshore streets, are expected home this evening from a week-end visit with relatives in Cincinnati.

Miss Margaret Evans, of Washington, D. C., is here for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Evans, of the West Side.

Miss Hattie Gable and Miss Minnie Crane, of the Seaboard Hotel, have gone to Jamestown, Va., for a visit with Mrs. James Long, formerly of this city.

The members of the Women's Missionary Society of Second Presbyterian church will enjoy an outing tomorrow at the home of Mrs. Charles Helt, at Harrisonville. The members are requested to take a box lunch and meet at the home of Mrs. Irving Drew at 1:45. The trip will be made in automobiles.

Mrs. E. N. Alger and daughter Clay, of Huntington, W. Va., are here for a visit with her aunt, Mrs. Kate Newman, of 121 Second street, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pressler, of Offshore street, have returned home from a stay at French Jack Springs, Ind.

The Otterlein Society of the United Brethren church will hold the regular business meeting at the home of the Misses Peck, 1409 Fourth street, on Tuesday evening, instead of Thursday of this week.

Miss Marie Haggerty, of Columbus, is visiting with Miss Redella Donahoe of Third street.

Mrs. William S. Harris, of the Kicker building, has taken a position in Mrs. Anne Rice's millinery shop on Gallia street for this season.

After an outing at Lakeside and a trip to Mackinac and along the western coast of Michigan, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Selby, of Grant street, have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Henry and nephew, of 1848 Eighth street, have come home from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Jennings, of Carry, Ky.

Meet me at Nye's Fountain. 12-11

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

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75 Couples At Dance

Barely five couples attended the Greater Wallace of this city, James Arthur's orchestra, furnished the music and dancing continued till 11 on the West Side Saturday night by clock.

MANLY CHURCH NEWS

The Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society will meet on Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock with Mrs. J. M. Lowe, 1942 Hutchins street.

As this is the last meeting of the conference year any members whose dues are unpaid are requested to bring or send them at this meeting. Mrs. Chubel, president of the Home Society will make her home. This will be her last meeting with us. All ladies are requested to be present.

You are cordially invited to attend the mid week service Wednesday at 7:30. The pastor's subject will be "Moses and Joshua."

The King's Heralds and Home Guards will meet at the church Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock sharp to go to Wheelersburg for a meeting with the Wheelersburg Herald. Bring your own sandwiches and fruit, and come for a good time. Don't forget! 9 a. m. Thursday.

The Primary Department will hold a picnic on Thursday afternoon, August 28, at York Park. Do at the church promptly at 2:30. Bring your lunch.

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To Enjoy Vacation Charles Schwenkberger, of the East End fire company, leaves a ten day vacation Monday.

MR. AND MRS. JOHN DILL ENTERTAIN

Mr. and Mrs. John Dill of 1153 Tenth street entertained a number of friends at their home Saturday evening from 6:30 to 9:30. The outing was in honor of the visiting guests of the city, Mrs. Campbell Lloyd Nolin, of Columbus, the guest of Mrs. J. W. Hanks; Mrs. J. L. Weaver, of Cleveland, the guest of Mrs. R. J. Johnson; Attorney H. A. Taylor of St. Louis, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Jackson and Mrs. Mary Priser, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Smith. The party of 14 were invited indoors by the hostess Mrs. A. G. Hill at 8:30 and served a delightful lunch of sandwiches, fruit, ice cream and cake.

Cars Damaged In Gallia Street Crash

Automobiles driven by Orin B. Oakes, and Harold Swavel collided at Gallia and Eighth streets Sunday morning and both machines were damaged considerably.

Mr. Oakes was thrown against the steering gear of his car and his lower lip was painfully cut.

Mr. Swavel is a well known steel worker.

CUTTING AFFRAY AT CIRCUS GROUNDS

William Marks and Jack Lawrence, colored had a fight near the circus lot on the Scioto Trail early Sunday morning.

It ended when Lawrence cut Marks three times across the left side of his face, his cheek being laid open. Lawrence soon disappeared after the cutting affray. Marks and Lawrence have been employed as section laborers on the N. & W. Marks boards on Fort-tenth street this city.

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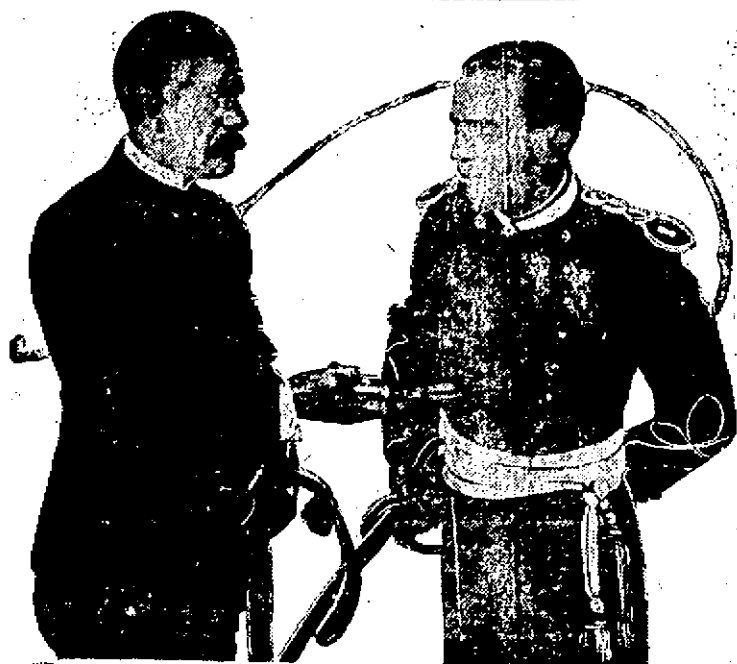
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The Movies



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DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS in "Arizona"
An Autocraft Picture

Douglas Fairbanks Has Another Big Score in "Arizona." His New Photoplay of the Southwest.

Douglas Fairbanks, the ever popular success in his latest photoplay, "Arizona," a screen version of Augustus Thomas' famous play, which will be presented at the Lyric Theatre for the first time in this city tonight. Of course, there was never any doubt but that this play was an ideal vehicle for the screen, but with Douglas Fairbanks in the leading role of Lieutenant Hunt, there are no adjectives that fittingly describe the charm of the picture, its thrill, its tremendous suspense, heart interest and dramatic qualities.

The story is familiar to most playgoers, and it will be unnecessary to

repeat it here, and, indeed, much of the pleasure to those who do not know the plot will lie in their inability to guess the outcome of the twisted story. Suffice to say it deals with affairs at the period of the Spanish war, and the love affairs of the officers present a tangled skein which is only unraveled at the end. The unjust suspicions attaching to Denton, the trickery and villainy of Hodgeman, the ingeniousness of Bonita and the characteristic shrewdness of the Colonel and of Hunt are all phases of delightfully executed character parts. The story has the initial atmosphere that is certain to be so popular today, yet is of a bygone period before the Klaki distinguished the American soldiers. It was then, still, the "boys in blue." Never has a better cast been chosen

for a picture. Too much can scarcely be said for the work of all concerned. Of course Douglas Fairbanks is splendid in the leading role. His boyish breeziness and his determination are alike infectious. Theodore Roberts is fine as the Colonel. Frank Kellar, and three women are wonderfully interpreted by Marjorie Daw as Bonita; Kathleen Kirkham as Estrella and Marguerite de la Motte as Lena. Raymond Hatton does the work as Tony.

This picture will repay anyone's time in witnessing it as it offers clean, clearly defined, artistic and purely American drama by a master dramatist. It is a departure for Douglas Fairbanks, but it is another evidence of his versatility.



Norma Talmadge in "The Way of a Woman" at the Columbia Tonight and Tomorrow

The ways of a woman are strange—possessed of unusual beauty, and what is more to the point, with an unusual amount of brains. To help her people, who are very poor, she gives up the life of a rich girl and marries a wealthy New Yorker, only to find that the latter is hopelessly in debt. After many hardships, she gains at last the happiness which she sacrificed for love of her mother and marries the real man in the case. Norma Talmadge is the heroine and she will win your sympathy right from the start.



King W. Vidor's Big Special Feature "Better Times" at the Exhibit Tomorrow and Wednesday—A Delightful Picture of Real Folks and Every-Day Life—The Best Photo Play This Year

King Vidor's great photo play, "Better Times," a sequel to "The Turn of the Road," will be the special attraction offered at the Exhibit Theatre tomorrow and Wednesday. There is hope, joy, laughter and the sheer happiness of living in "Better Times." The story is one of home folks—human beings whom we all know in our every day life with their virtues and their faults, their whimsicalities and eccentricities, and is a refreshing relief from the regular run of motion pictures. If you've got a friend with a grudge, bring him to see "Better Times." It's a picture you'll never forget as long as you live. Shows will start at 12:00, 1:30, 3:00, 4:30, 6:00, 7:30, and 9:00 o'clock. The prices will be adults, 20 cents and children, 10 cents. Bring the whole family and come early.

America's Dimpled Darling, Lillian Walker, is in a Pretty Romance, "The Love Hunger." At Temple Tonight, Lillian Walker will be seen at the Temple tonight in "The Love Hunger," adapted from the novel, "Fren," by John Galsworthy. Miss Walker is a professional lion tamer who decides to give up the circus and have a real home.

Miss Walker, who made her reputation in light comedy parts, has something more to do in "The Love Hunger," than merely display her dimples. The big scene of the picture is that in which the star, masked, enters the lion's cage, and is not recognized by the animals. A lion comedy rounds out this program that you cannot afford to miss.

NOTICE, MOOSE!

A special called meeting of Peewee Lodge No. 762 will be held at the hall Sunday afternoon, Aug. 24th, at 2 o'clock. All members are requested to be present, as matters of much importance will be taken up at this time. Adv. Aug. 22-24



"Better Times" The Sunshine Picture Coming to the Exhibit Theatre Tomorrow and Wednesday of Real Folks and Every-Day Life

There is hope, joy, laughter and the sheer happiness of living in "Better Times," the Sunshine picture which comes by special engagement to the Exhibit Theatre tomorrow and Wednesday. The story is one of home folks—human beings whom we all know in our every day life. There is a delightful comedy vein throughout the story and a tender romance which grips the heart with its pathos and sincerity. You are going to be mighty sorry if you don't see this happy picture.

Lincoln Tonight

Whether you do not fail to visit the Lincoln theatre tonight and see George Walsh in "Luck and Pluck." This picture is full of pep and romance and is well worth the price. Manager McConnell is asking, "Don't miss this attraction or you will regret it, as it is the talk of the patrons of the Lincoln Theatre. A screaming comedy will also be shown."

Troop Trains

Three troop trains passed through North Portsmouth Sunday. They were filled with homeward bound soldiers.



Beautifying Mae Allison in Her Newest Metro Comedy Romance "The Island of Intrigue" at the Exhibit Tomorrow. Taken from the Novel by Isabelle Ostrander.

Beautiful Mae Allison, the fascinating Metro star will be the good attraction at the Exhibit Theatre tonight in her latest photoplay "The Island of Intrigue" taken from the well known novel of the same name by Isabelle Ostrander. This is a stirring romance of mystery and intrigue which gives Miss Allison a role that

accentuates her vivid personality and clever artistry. The story is one of absorbing interest—brimful of life and action and abounds in tense and gripping scenes that culminate in a romance of youthful charm and rare beauty. Don't miss this attraction. It's Mae Allison in another installment of "Elmo, the mighty" will be shown also tomorrow.



Everything Good About "Getting Married" at the Strand Tonight

tonight at the Strand tonight, is the best thing Miss Davies has ever done. "Getting Married" was written expressly for Miss Davies by John Emerson and Anita Loos. It is a high class comedy with a strong dramatic theme, dealing with the life of a young girl who is left to the mercies of ancient and grasping relatives. A hilarious comedy completes this admirable program.

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THEATRICAL

The management takes great pleasure in announcing the attraction for the opening of the season today and is satisfied he has selected one that will meet the approval of the patrons of the Sun. Milt Frankfort's Broadway Dancing Revue Company will hold forth the entire week and will give a complete change of bill Wednesday and Friday, with scenic effects for each bill. The company is comprised of some of the bright lights in musical comedy. "The Girl with the Golden Hair," is selected for the opening bill. Some of the principals in the cast include Milt Frankfort, novelty pianist, Ethel Green, the Blues Southerner, Art Newman, six feet of comedy, Baby Norene, small, but oh, what a voice, Buddy Francis, and a chorus of pretty girls.

In addition to the comedy, the Trio Trio Co. will present Hazel Daly in the first part feature photoplay in "The Wild Goose Chase."

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LEGAL NOTICE

Charles Phillips, whose place of residence is unknown, and who has not been ascertained by diligent effort, is hereby notified that on the 24th day of August, 1919, Leslie Phillips, his wife, filed in the Court of Common Pleas of Soloto County, Ohio, for divorce, on the grounds of willful desertion, from the date of August 1st, 1918, the greater of said petition being for divorce, adultery, and other equitable relief.

Legal Notice
John Richardson, whose place of residence is unknown and has not been ascertained by diligent effort, is hereby notified that he has been sued by Leslie Phillips, his wife, by Cause No. 10,274, in the Court of Common Pleas of Soloto County, Ohio, for divorce, on the grounds of willful desertion, from the date of August 1st, 1918, the greater of said petition being for divorce, adultery, and other equitable relief.

CLAWFORD and DICKINSON, Attorneys for Plaintiff

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Returns to Inventor
Attorney O. E. Irish has returned to his home in Ironton after a short visit to local friends.

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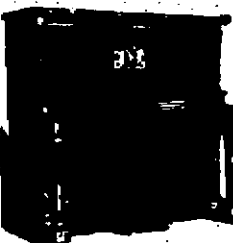
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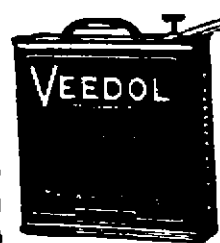
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All Stars Win The Championship Of Southern Ohio

Defeat Wiedemanns By Score Of 4 To 3 Sunday, Battle Lasted 12 Innings

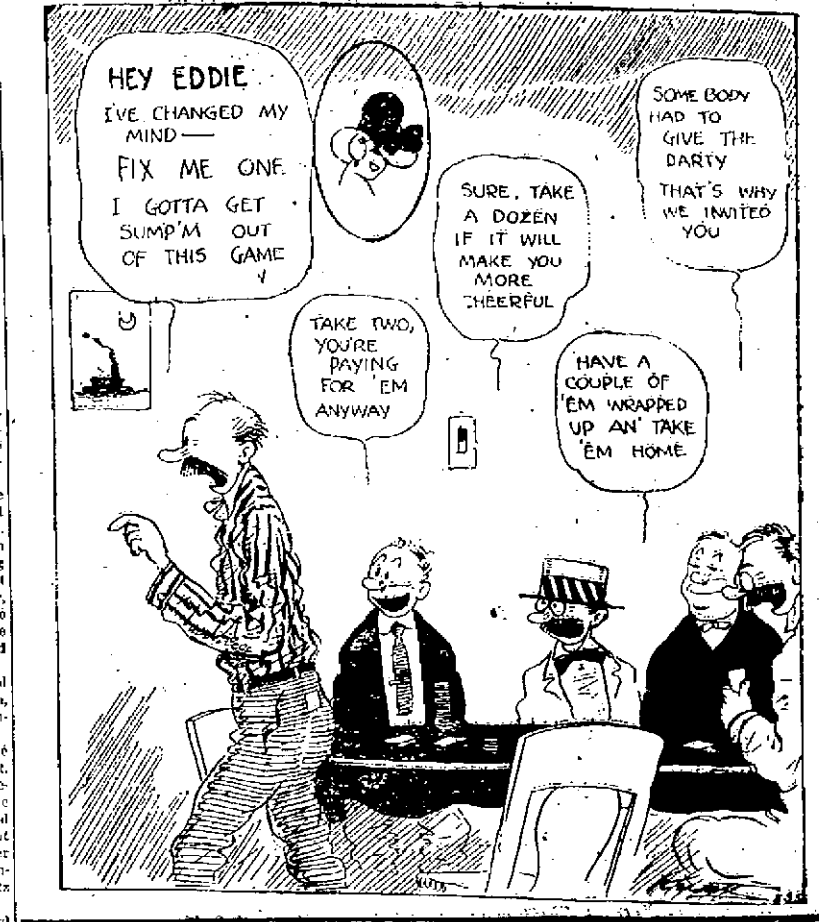
before one of the largest crowds of the season and in one of the most exciting games ever witnessed in these parts. The All Stars' triumphed over the Wiedemanns of Newport, Ky., Sunday afternoon, by the score of 4 to 3, in a game which lasted 12 innings and which was a battle of the century.

It was one of those games where the first was kept on the anxious seat from start to finish, a game in which was sandwiched a battle of life and death, where there were more climaxes than could be witnessed in a Tom Mix western screen play.

The home team, the Wiedemanns, started their game with a flourish, without a run in the first inning. The All Stars, on the other hand, were in a bad way, and the pitcher, who was a local boy, was in a bad way, and the pitcher, who was a local boy, was in a bad way.

The game was a battle of the century, and it was a battle of the century. The game was a battle of the century, and it was a battle of the century. The game was a battle of the century, and it was a battle of the century.

PENNY ANTE A Loser Getting His Money's Worth



Abeling, 3	5	2	2	2	4	0
Trestel, p	5	1	3	0	3	0
Total	48	3	14	14	12	2

Partsmouth	AB. R. H. P. O. A. E.
Shultz, m	5 0 1 3 0 0
Stewart, c	3 1 1 0 0 0
Stewart, c	3 0 0 1 0 0
Doherty, f	4 0 1 4 5 1
Benton, c	6 1 2 7 2 2
Barber, 2	0 0 2 4 2 0
Kelper, f	5 1 3 1 0 0
Staten, 1	4 1 2 12 0 0
Valodin, 3	5 0 2 2 4 0
Baughman, p	5 0 5 2 5 0
Total	40 4 17 36 18 4

*Batted for Stewart in 7th.
 One Out when winning run was made.

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Wied	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	3
All Sts	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	1	4

Two Base Hits—Trestel, Henninger, Abeling, Staten.
 Sacrifice Hits—Ernst, Keyser, Staten.
 Stolen Bases—Shultz, Stewart, Doherty, Baughman.
 First Base on Balls—Trestel & Baughman 1.
 Struck Out—Trestel 6, Baughman 5.
 Double Play—Henninger to Davis.
 Wild Pitch—Baughman.
 Time of Game—2:20.
 Umpire—Yeager.
 Attendance—1250.

Is After Perry

Manager Gleason of the Philadelphia Athletics has made a tempting offer to Connie Mack for the release of pitcher Scott Perry, who won twenty games for the Athletics last year, but has become discouraged this season.

Perry wants to get away from the park and Gleason believes that addition to the White Sox would about clinch the American pennant. Owner Comiskey, according to Philadelphia gossip, has have Per-

WHITE SOX AND TIGERS HAVE EDGE

The White Sox and Tigers have led the league in winning games abroad also. The Indians have run a close second in victories on the other fellow's ball field, and were able to win a goodly number of their contests in Cleveland would now be giving the White Sox a tougher battle for the race.

The White Sox and the Indians are the only teams in the league which have won more than half their games on the road.

The superiority of the western clubs over the eastern contingent so far this season is shown by the fact that the four clubs from the sunnier division have been heavy losers on the road and only two of them, New York and Boston, have managed to do better than break even on the home grounds.

New York is the only eastern club which has a look in as far as victories are concerned at home or abroad. Here is the record of the clubs at home and abroad up to a recent date:

Steelmen And Solvay Will Battle Wednesday Evening

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Everything is properly set for the game between the Steel Plant and Solvay at the Steel Plant steel yard on Wednesday evening at 8:30 o'clock. These two teams will meet in what may prove to be the last game of the Industrial League and again there may be another struggle for the championship. In the past the Steel Plant has been a heavy favorite, but in the last few games it has been the underdog.

The Solvay team, on the other hand, has been a heavy favorite, but in the last few games it has been the underdog.

The game is expected to be a close one, and it is expected that the Steel Plant will win.

RED CROSS EXPLAINS 'LARGE SALES'

PARIS, Saturday, August 23.—In a statement, which it says, is issued because of many inaccurate reports concerning large sales of Red Cross merchandise, the American Red Cross explains that the only materials which have been sold are certain perishable goods, second hand equipment, surplus stocks and articles which are no longer of use in direct relief work in either France or eastern Europe.

The statement says, aggregated 20,000,000 francs, while the value of the relief materials distributed in Europe during the months of July and August amounted to more than 20,000,000 francs.

IS ACCUSED OF STEALING JEWELRY. CHILD WANDERS AWAY FROM HOME

The police are looking into a rumor that a well known local man has been arrested in Cincinnati on a charge of stealing jewelry from a woman who says her name is Mamie Harr who formerly lived here.

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AMERICAN DELEGATION DISPLEASED

PARIS, August 23.—(By the Associated Press)—The American peace delegation is displeased with the tendency to make the supreme council an international foreign office, taking up many matters not properly belonging to the peace conference. It is also annoyed by the failure of the powers interested in the Hungarian indemnities to take more direct action to require Rumania to live up to the armistice.

Reds Are Leading

At the end of the third inning in the Cincinnati-Philadelphia game today, the Reds were leading 2 to 0. The pitchers are Buckner for Cincinnati and Smith for Philadelphia. These teams will play a double-header Tuesday.

BUELOW JOINS IN CHORUS OF REVELATIONS

BERLIN Sunday, Aug. 24.—(By the Associated Press)—Prince Bernhard von Buelow, former German Chancellor, has in a rather heated announcement, called the list of those making revelations concerning the outbreak of the war by writing in the President'sblatt of Hamburg, regarding the statement made by Dr. Friedrich von Bethmann-Hollweg, Chancellor in 1914, that the declaration of war was inevitable.

SIBERIANS TO MAKE STAND

VLADIVOSTOK, Aug. 12.—Siberians, refracting to the east Russian front have planned to make a stand on the Chimu river, which crosses the Trans-Siberian railroad about 175 miles west of Omsk. Reports further state that the retreat would stop on the line of Tobolsk, about 90 miles further west.

WINN-PAGET WEDDING IS BIG SOCIAL EVENT IN LONDON



TO RETURN ALL SELECTS FROM SIBERIA SOON

WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—Return of the 6000 selective service men with the American forces in Siberia will be completed before winter. Representative Osborne, of California, was told today by Secretary Baker, about 3,000 volunteer replacements already have gone forward. Mr. Baker said, 1,500 more are ready to go and enlistments available for this service average about 50 per day.

SHOULD PREPARE FOR NATIONAL RAIL STRIKE

WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—In view of the wage demands made by railroad employees, the government should take steps to prepare for a nationwide strike of those employees without waiting until the transportation system actually is tied up, the senate was told today by Senator Thomas, Democrat, Colorado.

OBITUARY

Funeral services for the late Mrs. Thomas J. Baker, who passed away Friday last at the home of her son, Frank Baker, of Lombard, Ill., were conducted from the Holy Trinity Catholic church, 2001 North La Salle street, at 10 o'clock today. The services were well attended by numerous friends of Mrs. Baker, who was a highly respected member of the Holy Trinity church.

HOW THEY STAND

begins in 1904 like the white Sox
the American league. The team
at the Yankees again yesterday,
the Detroit lost to Boston after a

HOW THEY STAND

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Pirates Blanked

NEW YORK, August 23.—After a desperate pitching duel between Tony and Carlson with homers often, Sunday, the Pirates lost in the fourth inning, Zimmerman, who made a two-base hit, scored on Carlson's last throw to first on Frisch's sacrifice. Score:

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Chicago	50	14	.780
Brooklyn	33	54	.376
Pittsburgh	52	55	.486
Cleveland	40	63	.333
St. Louis	39	67	.369
Philadelphia	35	66	.345

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Yesterday's Results
Chicago, 4; New York, 1.
Cleveland, 2; Philadelphia, 1.
Washington, 3; St. Louis, 0.
Detroit, 7; Boston, 8. (11 innings.)

HOW THEY STAND

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	52	39	.568
Detroit	63	43	.600
Cleveland	62	46	.571
St. Louis	58	51	.530
New York	57	51	.524
Boston	50	50	.500
Washington	43	67	.390
Philadelphia	38	70	.348

ASSOCIATION—
Minneapolis 3; St. Paul 5.
Indianapolis 3-7; Louisville 5-10.
Toledo 3; Columbus 7.
Kansas City 3; Milwaukee 4.

HOW THEY STAND

W.		L.	Pct.
Team			
Chicago	32	29	.524
Detroit	28	32	.469
Cleveland	27	33	.449
St. Louis	25	35	.417
New York	24	36	.400
Boston	20	40	.333
Washington	18	42	.290
Philadelphia	15	45	.250

Two Games Today

The Reds again tackle the Phils in a double bill today. Moran, probably will see Ruchter in the first game and Eller or Fisher in the second one. Manager Cravath will use Rixey in one and probably one of his recruits in the other.

GILBERT IS LEADER

Gilbert, New Orleans, with an average of .355 is topping the batters of the Southern Association. He also is leading in stolen bases with 57 and in total bases with 217. The home run hitters are now led by T. McDonnell of Nashville who has eight circuit drives to his credit, other leading batters of the Southern Association for 40 or more games: Trotter, Mobile, 33; McDaniel, Nashville, 31; Christensen, Memphis, 29; Duncan, Birmingham, 27; Peters Birmingham, 26; Inman, Birmingham, 26; J. Griffin, Atlanta, 24; Schepert, Mobile, 22; Griffin, Little Rock, 20.

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AT THEIR SERVICE AND BENEFIT

It has always been a source of wonderment to us that more farmers do not avail themselves of the service that can be rendered them by The Times "want" columns.

Not any feature of the paper is so interesting as this, none more valuable. It is rather odd when it comes to the sale part of these columns that announcement is made altogether of what one wishes to sell and scarce any at all of what one wishes to buy. The "For Sale" sell thousands of articles of every kind, size and character. There is no reason why a "wanted to buy" advertisement would not bring just as many and diversified things. To show how it will work let us illustrate with an actual occurrence. Through the installation of a new press and the electrical equipment thereto, The Times has two motors, no longer of use to it, for sale. It put them in the "For Sale" and found buyers almost immediately for both. Now the buyers were, doubtless, for some time waiting to make such a purchase. If they had advertised their wants they might have found other motors, or they could have had one's a month sooner, saving time, at least and time is money.

Looking at it, that is the so called want column, in the right way it should be used by the buyer just as freely as the seller. Farmers use it the least of all and yet to them it is of special value. We know it sent people miles in the country a week or two ago to buy peaches. If a farmer has a good apple crop it will pay him to advertise it for sale in The Times. People like an excuse to go somewhere in their automobiles. If a farmer on the east side wishes to buy a team of mules "a want" will find the west side farmer who has it for sale. If plows are lying idle because a tractor has been bought there is somebody who will buy those plows, if he reads of them in the "For Sale."

And here is the wonder of it all. The more the want columns of the paper are patronized the more valuable they become to those using them and the community at large.

THE STORY AS IT IS TOLD

All the Sunday papers blazoned their front pages with the story of one Dr. Altendorf, who "revealed" for the first time, that at the time the Germans launched their biggest and last drive, the Kaiser and Carranza had it all set to invade the United States from Mexico.

As a story there is just enough thrill in it to awaken one from the soft spell of a dreamy Sunday, but it lacks verisimilitude, as they say in sleuth circles, that is its parts do not dovetail into a convincing whole. In the first place that name Altendorf has a spelling and a sound that do not commend it to immediate credit when connected with the matter in hand. Again the reporter confesses himself a double spy, hired as such by the German agent in Mexico, but in the secret service of the United States and turning over to it voluminous valuable information he got by virtue of his first capacity. Mighty strange, indeed, that a man born with that name in Europe and never in this country should voluntarily betray his employers to us for nothing.

Equally "fishy" is the detail that the Mexican-German army of invasion was to be forty-five thousand strong. What could an army of that size, especially one untrained and unequipped, have expected to accomplish against the real armies stationed along the Mexican border and in easy access thereto?

The doctor will have to come again. His story needs elaboration and dovetailing.

OUGHT NOT TO BE EITHER

ANNOUNCEMENT is sent out from Columbus that the fish and game commission has decreed doves can be killed from September 1st to December 15th and Ohio sportsmen will hail this announcement with delight.

The commission takes the position that as the Ohio law, which prohibits the killing of doves at any time, is different from that of the federal law, which says the birds may be shot between the dates fixed, the latter statute rules and hence the open season.

These should be no season and no day allowed for the slaughter of these gentle members of the feathered species and if the Ohio sportsmen welcome the license to begin the slaughter, they are a sorry lot indeed, and belie the instincts of real sports.

Fact is there should be no killing of birds allowed at any time. Only a few persons, not out in ten thousand in Ohio, have part therein, but birds are a benefit to every citizen and their scarcity is such in Ohio that the state hasn't enough of them, to say nothing of having too many.

There are days and days, but never one more beautiful than that of Sunday, such a one as Ohio's sweetest songster, Evan Williams, now in the Angelic choir, sang into immortality—"A Perfect Day."

We all see through a glass darkly. In the sporting columns of the Cincinnati Enquirer is found the observation that of all absurd things placed in a paper the stupidest is that of the New York scribbles, who claim the other teams are not playing their best against the Reds because they do not want the Giants to win. But there have been things even stupider than that in newspaper columns, for instance, the paragraph in those same Enquirer columns that when the Reds went to New York they would carry their own water in bottles—that was worse, it was harmfully vicious.

THE WISHING PLANE

Lamar, the Swiss guide, was telling Jack and June all about mountain climbing when we had to stop the last story. So now we'll hear some more about it. He said:

"When the climbers come to one of the great cracks in the mountain, the guide tests the ice and snow along the edge by striking it with his stick, and then by walking on it. He tells the other climbers to stand very still and brace themselves, so that if the ice breaks off and loses him down over the edge of the crevasse they can pull him up by hauling on the rope."

"But doesn't the guide go afraid when the ice breaks off and drops him down into the crack?" asked Jack.

"No, because he is used to such accidents," answered Lamar.

"Often times the side of the mountain is so steep that the guide must chop steps in the ice before the others can climb to the next level place. This he does with his Alpine stick, which has a small sort of pickaxe on the end of it."

"The guide must find shelter for his party if a storm comes up while they are on the mountain. If they tried to weather the blinding snow and windstorms on the open mountain side they would either be swept over cliffs or frozen to death. The guide who knows how to read storm warnings in the clouds, finds a small cave, or space between the huge rocks and makes his party stay there until the storm is over."

"Often times the cave is buried in snow and the men have to dig their way out, but no harm comes to them."

"By this time the airplane was hovering above the landing place pointed out by Lamar, so Captain Brave circled down slowly and finally brought the giant flying machine to a stop on the smooth icy surface of the little level stretch on the mountain."

"Lamar had seen to it that the children were dressed warmly for the trip, so they weren't afraid of getting cold. Jack had on a heavy sweater that came away up to his chin, high-topped shoes, heavy cap and mittens. June had on a heavy coat of the brightest red cloth you can imagine. A red belt ran around it at her waist. She had a red stocking cap and mittens to match. She wore heavy little shoes."

"Both, of course, wore the same coat he always had—his fluffy white fur. For dogs don't have more than one suit of clothes, you know. He didn't feel a bit cold when he jumped from the machine to the ice. But it wasn't long before his feet got pretty cold and the next thing Jack and June knew he had slipped back into the airplane again and was sitting up by the motor which was warm, because it had a new place where the ice had been running."

New York Day - By - Day

BY

O. O. MCINTYRE

NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—A page from the diary of a modern Samuel Pepys. Up betimes and the boy came with my boots, now-needed, and made a habit pound charge, which soured the morning and came late byers, the mighty saxophone player from "The Ship at Venice, Cal. Then came V. Porter and Miss Corinne Barker and Harrison Fleisher and we had music and a gay time, all neglecting our labors. And I was reconciled against the boot-mending charge.

Great talk of the Prince and his visit and through the town foot with my wife, poor wretch, and could not help but reflect that she was the prettiest of all the ladies I saw and in a generous moment I did take her to a flower-store and buy her a brave rose, and then in great content to see H. Bralry, the poet, home from long travels.

At luncheon my heart became full of strange fancies for an engaging fellow told us how great money could be made boring into the earth for petrol, but K. C. B. made light of the matter and called it poppy-cock about I was sorely tempted to put up money unbeknownst to my wife.

To Miss Nell's where we had a breakfast of incomparable good cheer, taken from a guest closer and it is surprisingly the liquor caches in all the houses. Many I have believed indulged until I saw the array of bottles I pray none becomes breakers of the day with stills.

Dinner on a fine cut of beef, very rare, and I did tell my wife a great many fooleries of the days when I was a scrivener on the public journals and she laughed more than I have heard her since I dropped the two soft boiled eggs on my new sortout. Fell to reading a stilly, writ book and so to bed.

Another dramatic critic has succumbed to the lure of press agency. Alfred Head, long the capacious judge of the drama for the Herald, has become publicly sponsor for David Belasco. "I am hoping that Mr. Head will enlighten me along with the rest of the public. For a great I have wondered from whence came Mr. Belasco's collar."

WHO'S WHO IN THE DAY'S NEWS

SIR WILLIAM OSLER

To the man of science the honored name of Osler has long been known. To the general reading public it is familiar largely through the alleged Osler statement that a man should be chloroformed at sixty. This was a distorted declaration which traveled far and wide, and, no doubt, was believed by many to this very day.

Possibly those who continue to put faith in the chloroform story will find a mild example of the irony of fate in the fact that Sir William Osler, regius professor of medicine in the University of Oxford, recently celebrated his seventieth birthday.

He was celebrated in a way that left little doubt of his virility and enduring usefulness. Many distinguished guests honored his birthday celebration by their presence, the nine leading cities which had at some time claimed him were represented, and the distinguished educator who presided at the gathering telegraphically remarked that he hoped Sir William would abide for many years to come, a Newton of modern Oxford, a leader in medicine, a man, and an example to all mankind.

This is the scientific of three score and ten, the veteran who is honored by his profession, who, according to the alleged Osler theory, should have been put to sleep ten years ago. His usefulness having ended.

It has been claimed that what Dr. Osler really said at the time he was so unhelpfully misquoted was this: "When a man, no matter how old, thinks he should be dissolved from the life to give more laborers room, he must walk with the boys or else he is irretrievably lost."

To keep his mind receptive, plastic and impregnable he must travel with the men who are doing the work of the world. The him between the ages of twenty-five and forty."

The recent strike in Brooklyn was a good thing in a way. It taught the Brooklynites that they really had lost. They had to tramp many miles every day because no cars were running. Now they have gone back to their crumpling and sitting. Desk, telephone, push-button, subway, surface cars, automobiles and motor boats have made an old fashion pair of legs as useless as a rusty shotgun.

The arrogance of the New York police surpasses all understanding. In a lonely stretch of Central Park at dusk the other evening I was romping my dog. A copper stealing a smoke behind a tree finally saw me. Being a canine militant I bristled up with my dog at his approach. He muzzled and leashed. I told him that no one was around. "No one around? Well I'm someone," he shouted. I told him I wasn't deaf and in my opinion he registered zero. "I also said that I had never seen a New York policeman with a muzzler, but an itching muzzler and if he expected to collect from me he was mistaken." I was ready to go to jail or any place else but my dog was so like carrying me away or using a club. He waited at the roadside and evidently changed his mind for he said nothing when I passed by. When I got home a neighbor came in to tell me that his apartment had been robbed and the police came around and said it served him right for not having a burglar alarm. That ended their interest in the matter. Even on the street the New York police are insolent if asked a civil question.

WHEN WILL HE EVER TAKE THE HINT THAT HIS WELCOME IS WORN OUT?



DOC KOKO'S KOLUM

The Regular

"And Tommy ain't a boomie" fool, you bet that Tommy boomie!"

I'm one of the Regular Army men, enlisted before the war.

When fifteen per was the pay we got—an' I learned to be soldiers for—I joined in the days when Officer Drab was lucky in real estate.

An' it wasn't often a doughboy found a "welcome" upon the mat.

I'm a hero now, an' the ladies howl an' it's pleasant enough, an' yet it's worrisome how long 'twill be till the people again forget."

"Only a common soldier."

That's what they used to say. Tho' they must of seen I was straight and clean.

The same as I am today. I looks at the dogs a-yaar, I thinks of them times that's past. An' I'm sayin': "Yes, it is fine, I guess. How long is it gonna last?"

The National Guard comes home now."

There were no sane Fourth nor

from lightin' the ugly Teuts, They drafted me, get their papers an' put on their civic suits; They all of them done their portion, we regulars done the same, But we gotta go on playin' the steady army game.

They finished their bit, all right, an' quit; their glory will not be lost.

An' the regular force gets cheers, of course, but I have my fingers crossed!

"Only a common soldier."

It used to be said with sneers, An' I still recall every slight an' all The scorn of them bygone years. Just now I'm a social lion Enjoirin' it while I can Till the graft goes bust an' they say: "He's just

A Regular Army man. A roughneck brute in a khaki suit, A Regular Army man!"

—Berton Braley in Life.

Only Twenty Years Ago

Nobody swatted the fly. Nobody had seen a silo. Nobody wore a wrist watch. Nobody had appendicitis. Nobody wore white shoes. Nobody sprayed orchards. Most young men had "livery bills". Advertisers did not tell the truth. Farmers came to town for their mail.

The heavens were not full of man-birds. Nor the seas alive with underwater boats. The hired girl drew one-fifty a week and was happy. The butcher "threw in" a chunk of lard.

The merchant "threw in" a pair of suspenders with every suit. Nobody "listened in" on the telephone. There were no sane Fourth nor

Abe Martin



We wonder if anybody ever played a cabaret singer, when he was sober? "Bout th' only thing some girls are wrapped up in these days is tenebres."

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POLLY AND HER PALS

Paw Has An Idea He'll Have To Do The Furnishing

BY CLIFF STERRETT



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LOUIE, THE LAWYER

Maybe He Likes Music

BY M. M. BRANNER



THAT'S DIFFERENT

By Probasco



U.S. TROOPS RETURN FROM MEXICO

Give Up Pursuit Of Bandits After Trail Goes Cold

MARFA, TEXAS, Aug. 25.—Three hundred and seventy-five American cavalrymen who last Tuesday entered Mexico in pursuit of the bandits who held Lieutenant Harold G. Peterson and Paul N. Davis for ransom, were back on American soil today, following abandonment of the chase yesterday. The troops today resumed patrol of the border.

Heavy rains yesterday which obliterated the trails of the bandits caused a decision to abandon the chase after contact had been made with Carranza troops. The troops after riding for hours in a heavy rainstorm began at 11 o'clock to cross the river at Rocky Ford, seven miles from Marfa.

The main column was delayed for two hours because of the storm. The cavalry slept under roofs last night for the first time since last Monday, when the expedition was formed.

During the six days the American military expedition was "below" the border four bandits were killed by the troops and another by a man while five bandits are reported to have been captured at Comanche by Carranza soldiers. The captured bandits are said to have been members of the Jesus Benito band which captured Lieutenants Peterson and Davis.

Lieutenants George K. Rice and U. I. Bonquet, American army aviators, were reported missing before the Rio Grande yesterday after they had left Marfa for Mexico in reconnaissance for the punitive expedition.

A report brought to the border by Lieutenant Peterson that Jesus Benito, leader of the bandits, was killed by American airmen could not be confirmed.

The cavalry troops came out of Mexico in excellent condition and without casualties, after five days of hard riding.

RESCUED AVIATORS AND TOLD BANDITS JUST WHERE TO GO



Capt. Leonard J. Matlack.

Captain Matlack is the man who put Lieut. Paul H. Davis of Strathmore, Cal., on the back of his horse, after the fiercest companion, Lieut. Harold G. Peterson of Hutchinson, Minn., was safe in United States territory, and rode off, thumbing his nose at the Mexican brigands who demanded the unpaid half of the \$15,000 ransom money.

"I just told them to go to hell," said Captain Matlack.

SEVENTEEN AVIATORS IN BIG RACE

TORONTO, ONT., August 25.—Seventeen aviators, 11 Americans and six Canadians and British, were on the grounds of the Canadian national exhibition grounds today waiting to participate in the first international air race from Toronto to New York and return, scheduled to start from here at five minutes after noon, New York time. The contestants include both army and civilian aviators, the latter competing for a prize of \$10,000 offered by the Hotel Commodore of New York.

The army participants have entered in the race to test various types of army planes.

Colonel W. C. Barker, a Canadian ace, who will fly a Fokker machine, is to carry a message from the Prince of Wales to President Wilson. Letters carried by other contestants will bear special stamps issued by the Army Club of Canada, which with the American Flying Club, is promoting the contest.

SIBERIANS TO MAKE STAND

VLADIVOSTOK, Aug. 25.—Siberians retreating on the east Russian front have planned to make a stand on the Ishim river, which crosses the trans-Siberian railroad about 175 miles west of Omsk. Reports hitherto have stated that the retreat would stop on the line of Tolok, about 50 miles further west.

WEATHER

OHIO.—Fair tonight; cooler in east portion; Tuesday fair.

AUSTRIA TO GET TREATY AT ONCE

PARIS, August 25.—The treaty with Austria will be considered by the supreme council this afternoon and will probably be handed to the Austrian delegates tomorrow. Five days will be given for consideration unless the Austrians ask for a longer delay.

HONDURAN REBELS ARE DEFEATED

SAN SALVADOR, REPUBLIC OF SALVADOR, Sunday, August 24.—Honduran revolutionary forces have been defeated and scattered with a loss of many killed, wounded and missing, by government troops in the neighborhood of Santa Rosa, near the Guatemalan frontier, according to an official Honduran dispatch.

REJECT THE DECISION ON BANAT

PARIS, Aug. 25.—(Havas)—The Rumanian cabinet has refused to accept the decision of the peace conference relative to the division of Banat and Temeswar between Rumania and Serbia, according to the Echo de Paris, which adds that Serbia is reported to be considering the general mobilization of her army.

On Vacation
Clark Harris Johnson, of the local police headquarters, is enjoying his ten day vacation in Columbus and Cincinnati, according to post cards received by friends here.

To Resume Old Job

The Central League base ball season will end on Labor Day. Edw. Conwell, who is playing third for the Evansville team will arrive home next week and will resume his old job at the Smoke House.

IS NAMED BY LABOR FOR BURLISON'S JOB



James J. Forrester.

James J. Forrester of Cincinnati is the choice for postmaster general according to the resolutions of the American Federation of Labor which asked for the removal of Mr. Burlison. Mr. Forrester is president of the Brotherhood of Railroad Mail Clerks.

TWO HUNDRED SOLDIERS PROPOSED TO WINNIE K. OF C. FLOWER GIRL



Miss Kitty Dalton wearing the smile that made 200 soldiers propose. At the ball of Miss Kitty Dalton, winsome knight of Columbus flower girl, hang the smiles of more than 200 U. S. soldiers, sailors and marines who have proposed to her in vain within the past few months. Her smile "got them going." Unattached young men of marriageable age may be interested to know that Miss Dalton's address is 154 East 122nd street New York city.

VLADIVOSTOK SURROUNDED BY INSURGENTS

LONDON, August 25.—Vladivostok is surrounded by insurgents and the town is filled with refugees, according to a Bolshevik wireless report received here. It states that a Japanese squadron has arrived at Vladivostok.

'FURTHER INFLATION OF PRICES THREATENS'

WASHINGTON, Aug. 25.—Further inflation of food stuff prices would result from the passage of the Kenyon bill to regulate and license the packing industry, L. D. H. Weld, manager of the commercial research department of Swift and Company, testified today before the senate agriculture committee, where the bill is under consideration.

"The main objection to the bill," Mr. Weld said, "is in the fact that it is based upon reports of the federal trade commission, which are saturated with glaring inaccuracies and misstatements. This would be serious enough, but the matter does not rest there, because the bill, if passed, will further inflate the already high cost of living."

JOSEPH'S CABINET RESIGNS

PARIS, August 25.—The resignation of the Hungarian government of Archduke Joseph, previously reported in press indolence, was announced in messages received by the supreme council today. The messages indicated that the resignation occurred at 5 o'clock Saturday night and that the formation of a new cabinet had begun.

In the new cabinet, the dispatch states, Paul Csernay, minister of justice in the Peilli cabinet, will be minister of Commerce, while Former Premier Jules Peilli will be minister of food. Karl Payer, minister of home affairs in the Peilli government is designated as minister of labor in the reconstructed ministry, and M. Csany, as minister of foreign affairs.

The other places have not yet been filled.

MANCHURIA, MONGOLIA EXCLUDED

TOKYO, Friday, Aug. 22.—(By the Associated Press)—It is reported that at the meeting yesterday of the imperial cabinet, upholding the opinion advanced by the military element in the government decided to limit upon the exclusion of Manchuria and Mongolia from the consortium by which the United States, Great Britain, France and Japan will assume a dominant position in the finances of China.

It is said that negotiations will be resumed with the powers on that basis. The Asahi Shimbun says that Viscount Uchida, foreign minister, spoke in favor of Japan's unconditional entrance into the consortium, explaining that if Manchuria and Mongolia were excluded from the scope of the agreement it might be interpreted as showing Japanese designs upon China and might excite local forces which are being incited by China.

He is reported to have expressed the belief that such an impression would be harmful to the interests of Japan and might place the nation in a position of complete isolation, nothing that on the contrary, Japan's unconditional adherence would remove serious points on the part of China and the powers concerning Japan's supposed aggressiveness as a result of the acquisition of important interests.

It is understood that leading bankers now are urging the acceptance of American proposal, but the military groups fear to jeopardize special political interests in Manchuria and Mongolia.

TOKYO, Thursday Aug. 21.—(By the Associated Press)—A quiet but determined struggle now is under way in Japan between the military and reactionary forces of the empire and the liberals over the general question of China.

The Imperialists insist that Japan should retain all the special prerogatives that she has hitherto gained in China and oppose concessions needed by groups which seek to calm world opinion concerning Japan's alleged aggressiveness.

The diplomatic advisory council yesterday discussed the Shantung and consortium questions.

According to the newspapers several members criticized the foreign office for undertaking to abandon an exclusive Japanese settlement of the Shantung matter without consulting the council which is supposed to advise the government in such matters.

OPENING STOCKS

NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—Stocks were irregular to heavy at the outset today, last week's deficit of actual reserves in the clearing house statement, and further industrial disturbances prompted further moderate fluctuations. Stocks and telegrams fell 1 1/2 to 2 points and industrial moved lost 1/2 to 1 point in oils and specialties. Shipings were reliable. Marine preferred ending 1 point, while American international fell two points. Municipal bonds ended at 100.

To Enjoy Vacation
Charles Schweinsberger, of the East End fire company, began a ten day's vacation Monday.

On Vacation
R. L. Schumate, electrician at the East End engine house, started a ten days' vacation Monday. He has completely recovered from his recent operation for appendicitis.

GERMAN PRISONERS ESCAPE FROM STOCKADE AT CAMP SHERMAN, MANY RECAPTURED

COLUMBUS, O., Aug. 25.—The story of how 20 or more German prisoners escaped from the stockade at Camp Sherman, Chillicothe, was revealed today morning by one of the five recaptured in Columbus a few hours after their escape last night.

The escape was made in the midst of a severe electrical storm. Camp Sherman officers said 18 of the number had been apprehended and it was believed that not more than two remained at large.

Frank Weigand told Columbus police that 20 prisoners in the stockade worked every night for a week in excavating the tunnel through which they escaped. By the light of smuggled candles, the prisoners dug their way through the cellar of their barracks and burrowed a tunnel under the company street, a distance they estimated at nearly 50 feet.

"The men, though under heavy guard, worked so quietly that their work was unnoticed. The dirt excavated from the tunnel was carried out in their pockets and distributed over the camp ground. Much of the burrowing, Weigand said, was done with small made their escape from the stockade knives.

The men came to Columbus on a train one on money, which they instructed they had smuggled past the examining officers at the time of their admittance to Camp Sherman.

They said their reason for escaping was that the life they were compelled to lead at Camp Sherman "was too monotonous" and that "there was too little diversion."

Six of the number were captured before they made good their escape from camp. Five others were arrested at Chillicothe and two others at Chillicothe. Two were believed to be still at large this morning.

The five arrested in Columbus made merry their stay at the Columbus police station. Well acquainted with the fact that prohibition is in effect, they all ordered two bottles of "near beer."

The men are from German internment ships and are part of the 104 German prisoners held at Camp Sherman.

BUELOW JOINS IN CHORUS OF REVELATIONS

BERLIN, Sunday, Aug. 24.—(By the Associated Press)—Prince Bernhard von Buelow, former German Chancellor, has in a rather belated announcement entered the list of those making revelations concerning the outbreak of the war by writing to the Fremdenblatt of Hamburg, regarding the statement made by Dr. Theobald von Bethmann-Hollweg, Chancellor in 1914, that the declaration of war was inevitable.

Prince von Buelow sketches his long years as chancellor, tells how he was able to avoid war and admits that peace was desired by Bethmann-Hollweg, who he says, however, "lacked political art."

"During the grave weeks before the war," writes Prince von Buelow, "serious psychological diplomatic mistakes were made by Germany's political leaders which were unjustly ascribed to the people's responsibility."

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OHIO STATE FAIR OPENS AT CAPITAL

COLUMBUS, O., August 25.—Patrols from all points of the state led to Columbus today for the opening of the Ohio State Fair. With good weather prevailing, the annual show likely will break all previous attendance records, officials predict. The fair will close Friday night.

Trains, trucks and wagons poured into the fair grounds yesterday conveying livestock, prize fowl and exhibits. Entries in all departments are the largest in history, officials say.

The reproduction of Chateaufort is the principal feature of the entertainment program. Two hundred others will participate in the "show" which will be staged at 8 o'clock tonight. A pageant in which 100 school children will take part follows on the day's program.

Feasting races will be run daily.

FINDS FAULT WITH AMERICA

BERLIN, Sunday, Aug. 24.—(By the Associated Press)—George Mack, financial writer for the Tagblatt, criticizes the United States for failing to Germany financially and as a result Americans are even guilty of competition to depress the value of the mark artificially.

He complains that Germany is expelling Germany's most selfless, he delays the great credit to Germany needs, and depressing the value of the mark with the introduction of such German products as chemicals and brushes at low prices. On the other hand, they offer German products to German buyers at high prices as possible. It is suggested for us to know that the Germans are playing the same game.

All Stars Win The Championship Of Southern Ohio

Defeat Wiedemanns By Score Of 4 To 3 Sunday, Battle Lasted 12 Innings

Before one of the largest crowds of the season and in one of the most exciting games ever witnessed in the state, the All Stars triumphed over the Wiedemanns of Newport, Ky., Sunday afternoon, by the score of 4 to 3, in a thrilling twelve-inning battle to decide the championship.

It was one of those games where the fans were kept on the anxious seat from start to finish, a game in which was sandwiched a barrel of hits and where there were more climaxes than one would witness in a Tom Mix western screen play.

The locals started out from the drop of the bat, grabbing a run in the first inning. After Shultz had rolled out, Stewart beat out a hit to second and Shultz in center, distinguished himself by making a life-saving catch in the twelfth inning, when he raved back to the railroad catch and pulled to his hands a long liner that was safely at the end of the home run.

A first on Benton's high toss to first, Trestel doubled to right, McMillan singled too hot for Baughman, Abeling singled to the plate, Prout fanned, but Manager Applegate singled to middle, scoring Trestel. Hemminger singled to left. Davis forced McMillan at the plate on his roller to Doherty, and Ernest filed to middle.

Thereupon Baughman lightened and held the visitors until the ninth, when they scored a run on Hemminger's double and Davis' single.

The locals were baffled until the eighth when they tied up the count. After Barber and Benton had been retired, Keyser, who hit like a mule kicking, singled to third and took third when States whacked a beauty bright to middle. Valodis hit scored Keyser and States came across on Baughman's safe punch to middle. Shultz rolled to short.

The two teams then battled hard until the twelfth, when the locals won the game amid cheering. Benton, first up in this glorious inning, beat out a hit to short and took third on Barber's single and Zeigler's wild throw. Whenupon Keyser drove a long fly to right, and despite the fact that Ernest made a fine throw, beat the relay home. The locals by winning two out of three from Wiedemanns now claim the championship of Southern Ohio. They are ready now to tackle the Norwalks of Cincinnati next Sunday.

The score:

Wiedemanns AB R H P O A E

McMillan, 1 0 0 2 5 0 3

Prout, 2 0 0 2 1 0 0

Applegate, m 0 0 2 1 0 0

Hemminger, c 0 0 2 0 0 0

Davis, 1 0 0 1 0 0 0

Ernest, r 0 0 2 1 0 0

Zeigler, s 0 0 1 2 1 1

PENNY ANTE



Is After Perry

Manager Gleason of the Chicago White Sox has made a tempting offer to Connie Mack for the release of Pitcher Scott Perry, who won more than twenty games for the Athletics last year, but has become discouraged this season.

Perry wants to get away from Shibe park and Gleason believed that his addition to the White Sox would just about clinch the American league pennant. Owner Comiskey according to Philadelphia gossip can have Perry if he put up \$20,000. Mack, as usual, needs the money, and Comiskey may decide to pay the price asked for the burly right hander.

Wellston Defeated

Bandfield's Tourists journeyed to Wellston Sunday and beat the team of that city, 13 to 8. Mowery and Good formed the battery for the Tourists.

Holland's Soap Production.

Holland has 100 soap factories, producing about 10,000,000 pounds of soap a year.

WHITE SOX AND TIGERS HAVE EDGE

The White Sox and Tigers have led the league in winning games abroad also. The Indians have run close second in victories on the other fellow's ball field, and were able to win a goodly number of their contests in Cleveland would now be giving the White Sox a tougher battle for the rag.

The White Sox and the Indians are the only teams in the league which have won more than half their games on the road.

The superiority of the western clubs over the eastern contingent so far this season is shown in the fact that the four clubs from the sunrise division have been heavy losers on the road and only two of them, New York and Boston, have managed to do better than break even on the home grounds.

New York is the only eastern club which has a look in as far as victories are concerned at home or abroad. Here is the record of the clubs at home and abroad up to a recent date:

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	25	15	.700
Detroit	23	14	.673
St. Louis	20	17	.617
New York	19	18	.571
Cleveland	21	23	.598
Boston	21	23	.531
Washington	21	32	.396
Philadelphia	15	31	.376
Total	190	172	.521

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	27	23	.590
Cleveland	20	23	.521
Detroit	24	26	.500
New York	24	26	.490
St. Louis	20	23	.490
Washington	19	29	.400
Philadelphia	12	35	.290
Total	173	229	.438

Steelmen And Solvay Will Battle Wednesday Evening

Everything is properly set for the game between the Steel Plant and Solvay at the Seventeenth street yard on Wednesday evening at 5:30 o'clock. These two teams will meet in what may prove to be the last game of the Industrial league and again there may be another struggle staged on Saturday afternoon. In the event the Steel Plant boys win Wednesday evening's battle, the stuff is all off and the Steelmen will have the satisfaction of unfurling the pennant from the highest smoke stack at the plant of the White-Glossier mill. Should the Solvay team win, then the two teams will have to be played, which will decide the pennant.

A great deal of interest is attached to the game of Wednesday evening and there is no question but a great throng will be out to see the two teams grapple. The Solvay know that if they come away with the pennant, they will have the pennant is gone and they will no doubt play desperately to hold their

ESTABLISHES NEW WORLD'S RECORD

Joe Whitlock, slugging outfielder of the Wichita club who established a new world's record by hitting safely in 69 consecutive games is far in front among the Western League hitters with a mark of .445. Whitlock who was purchased by the Boston Red Sox and who will join that team shortly, ended his hitting streak Wednesday.

Yurjan, Wichita remains high man in the home run department with 12 and Hasbrook's mark of 27 stolen bases kept the Des Moines player in front among the base stealers.

FANS ANXIOUS TO RUN SPECIAL TRAIN

The Reds play Pittsburgh at home next Sunday and local fans are going to make an effort to have the N. & W. run a special to Cincinnati on that day. If this is done it is certain that 600 or 700 fans will make the trip and root for Moran's club.

REDS HAVE 28 MORE GAMES TO BE PLAYED

After the two games with the Phils today the Reds will have only 28 more games to play, ending the season on September 30. All the team will have to do is to hold its own the balance of the way and the pennant is certain.

WHITE SOX WIN; WIDEN GAP

It begins to look like the White Sox in the American league. The team beat the Yankees again yesterday, while Detroit lost to Boston after a bitter struggle, witnessed by 25,000 fans. However, the Tigers have six games with the White Sox, and these games may bring the teams closer together.

HOW THEY STAND

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Yesterday's Results:
New York, 1; Pittsburgh, 0.
Brooklyn, 10; St. Louis, 1.

HOW THEY STAND

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Cincinnati	28	34	.600
New York	23	30	.560
Chicago	23	36	.500
Brooklyn	23	36	.490
Pittsburgh	20	33	.460
Boston	20	33	.460
St. Louis	20	33	.460
Philadelphia	18	36	.400

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results:
Chicago, 1; New York, 1.
Cleveland, 2; Philadelphia, 1.
Washington, 5; St. Louis, 0.
Detroit, 7; Boston, 8. (11 innings)

HOW THEY STAND

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	22	30	.560
Detroit	20	33	.500
Cleveland	20	33	.460
St. Louis	18	33	.400
New York	17	31	.390
Boston	17	31	.390
Washington	17	31	.390
Philadelphia	17	31	.390

ASSOCIATION—

Minneapolis 8; St. Paul 5.
Indianapolis 5; Louisville 5-10.
Toledo 8; Columbus 7.
Kansas City 3; Milwaukee 4.

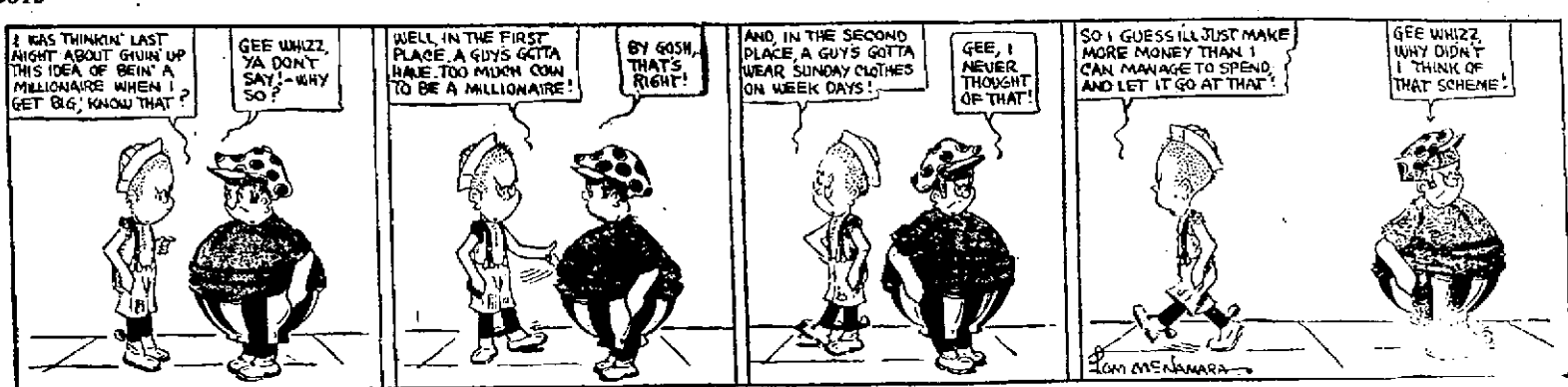
GILBERT IS LEADER

Gilbert, New Orleans, with an average of .355 is topping the batters of the Southern Association. He also is leading in stolen bases with 37 and in total bases with 217. The home run hitters are now led by T. McDonald of Nashville who has eight circuit drives to his credit. Other leading batters of the Southern Association for 1919 are: more games: Tutwiler, Mobile 33; T. McDonald, Nashville, 33; Chris. Engram, Memphis, 30; Duncan, Birmingham, 27; Freda Birmingham, 26; Benson, Birmingham, 26; L. Griffin, Atlanta, 23; Schaefer, Mobile, 22; Grimm, Little Rock, 20.

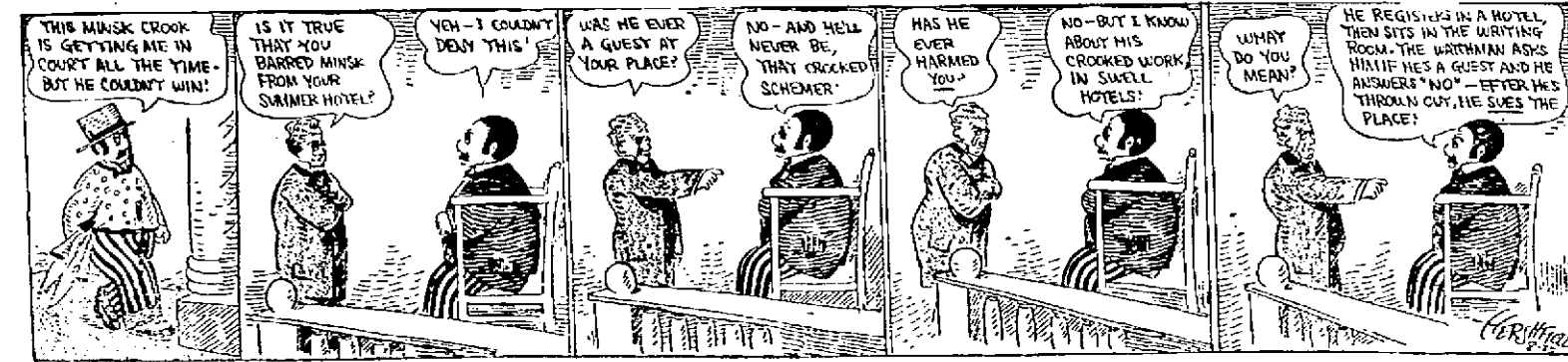
Two Games Today

The Reds again tackle the Phils in a double bill today. Moran probably will use Kuebler in the first game and Eber or Fisher in the second one. Manager Carruth will use River in one and probably one of his recruits in the other.

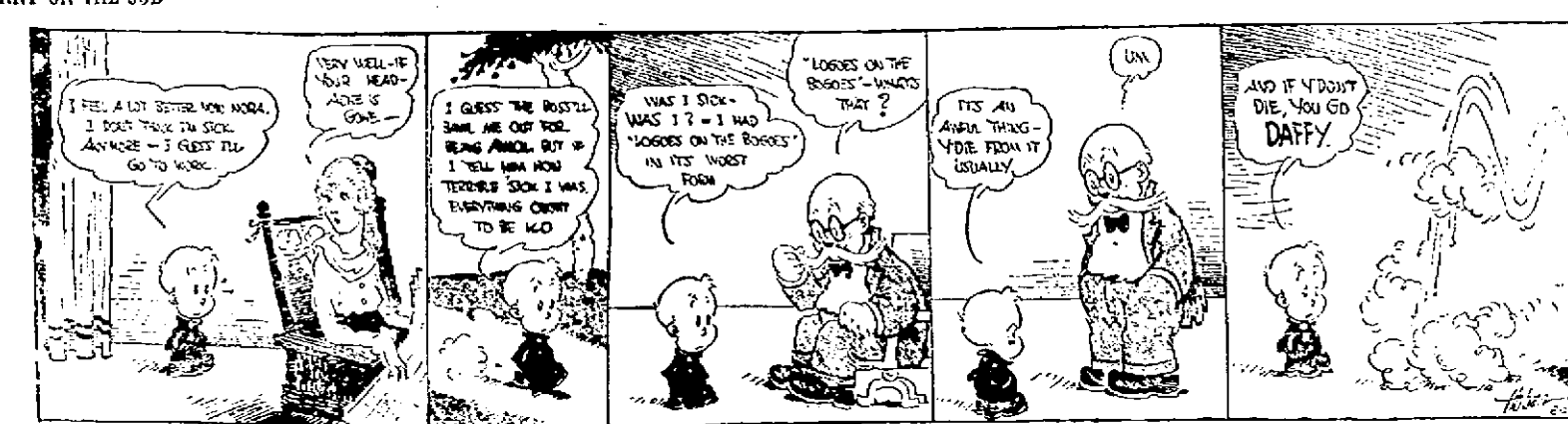
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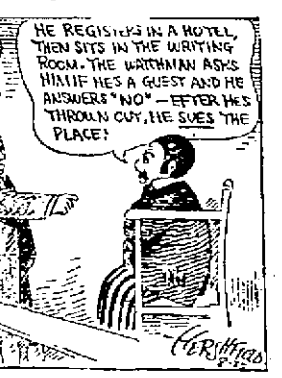
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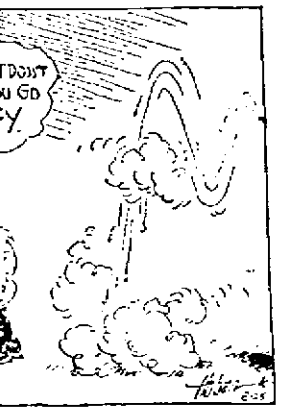
JERRY ON THE JOB



Nothing Like Taking Precautions



The Advantage of a Strong Jaw



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AT THEIR SERVICE AND BENEFIT

It has always been a source of wonderment to us that more farmers do not avail themselves of the service that can be rendered them by The Times "want" columns.

Not any feature of the paper is so interesting as this, none more valuable. It is rather odd when it comes to the sale part of these columns that announcement is made altogether of what one wishes to sell and scarce any at all of what one wishes to buy. The "For Sales" sell thousands of articles of every kind, size and character. There is no reason why a "wanted to buy" advertisement would not bring just as many and diversified things. To show how it will work let us illustrate with an actual occurrence. Through the installation of a new press and the electrical equipment thereto, The Times has two motors, no longer of use to it, for sale. It put them in the "For Sale" and found buyers almost immediately for both. Now the buyers were, doubtless, for some time waiting to make such a purchase. If they had advertised their wants they might have found other motors, or they could have had our's a month sooner, saving time, at least and time is money.

Looking at it, that is the so called want column, in the right way it should be used by the buyer just as freely as the seller. Farmers use it the least of all and yet to them it is of special value. We know it sent people miles in the country a week or two ago to buy peaches. If a farmer has a good apple crop it will pay him to advertise it for sale in The Times. People like an excuse to go somewhere in their automobiles. If a farmer on the east side wishes to buy a team of mules "a want" will find the west side farmer who has it for sale. If plows are lying idle because a tractor has been bought there is somebody who will buy those plows, if he reads of them in the "For Sale."

And here is the wonder of it all. The more the want columns of the paper are patronized the more valuable they become to those using them and the community at large.

THE STORY AS IT IS TOLD

ALL the Sunday papers blazoned their front pages with the story of one Dr. Altendorf, who "revealed" for the first time, that at the time the Germans launched their biggest and last drive, the Kaiser and Carranza had it all set to invade the United States from Mexico.

As a story there is just enough thrill in it to awaken one from the soft spell of a dreary Sunday, but it lacks verisimilitude, as they say in sleuth circles, that is its parts do not dovetail into a convincing whole. In the first place that name Altendorf has a spelling and a sound that do not commend it to immediate credit when connected with the matter in hand. Again the reporter confesses himself a double spy, hired as such by the German agent in Mexico, but in the secret service of the United States and turning over to it voluminous valuable information he got by virtue of his first capacity. Mighty strange, indeed, that a man born with that name in Europe and never in this country should voluntarily betray his employers to us for nothing.

Equally "fishy" is the detail that the Mexican-German army of invasion was to be forty-five thousand strong. What could an army of that size, especially one untrained and unequipped, have expected to accomplish against the real armies stationed along the Mexican border and in easy access thereto?

The doctor will have to come again. His story needs elaboration and dovetailing.

DOUGHT NOT TO BE EITHER

ANNOUNCEMENT is sent out from Columbus that the fish and game commission has decreed doves can be killed from September 1st to December 15th and Ohio sportsmen will have this announcement with delight.

The commission takes the position that as the Ohio law, which prohibits the killing of doves at any time, is different from that of the federal law, which says the birds may be shot between the dates fixed, the latter statute rules and hence the open season.

These should be no season and no day allowed for the slaughter of these gentle members of the feathered species and if the Ohio sportsmen welcome the license to shoot the slaughter, they are a sorry lot indeed, and belie the instincts of real sports.

Fact is there should be no killing of birds allowed at any time. Only a few persons, not one in ten thousand in Ohio, have part therein, but birds are a benefit to every citizen and their scarcity is such in Ohio that the state hasn't enough of them, to say nothing of having too many.

There are days and days, but never one more beautiful than that of Sunday, such a one as Ohio's sweetest songster, Evan Williams, now in the Angelic choir, sang into immortality—"A Perfect Day."

We all see through a glass darkly. In the sporting columns of the Cincinnati Enquirer is found the observation that of all absurd things placed in a paper the stupidest is that of the New York scribbles, who claim the other teams are not playing their best against the Reds because they do not want the Giants to win. But there have been things even stupider than that in newspaper columns, for instance, the paragraph in those same Enquirer columns that when the Reds went to New York they would carry their own water in bottles—that was worse, it was harmfully vicious.

THE WISHING PLANE

BY WILLIS WINTER

Lamar, the Swiss guide, was telling Jack and Jane all about mountain climbing when we had to stop the last story. So now we'll hear some more about it. He said:

"When the climbers come to one of the great cracks in the mountain the guide tests the ice and snow along the edge by striking it with his stick and then by walking on it. He tells the other climbers to stand very still and brace themselves, so that if the ice breaks off and lets him down over the edge of the crevasse they can pull him up by hauling on the rope."

"But doesn't the guide get afraid when the ice breaks off and drops him down into the crack?" asked Jack.

"No, because he is used to such accidents," answered Lamar.



"He knows the rope will hold and that if the other men have followed orders they will stand still until the guide calls up to them to pull up on the rope. Then he helps them by digging into the sides of the crack with his toes and stick."

"When he is safely up again they find a new place where the ice is firm."

New - York - Day - By - Day

BY O. O. MCINTYRE

NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—A page from the diary of a modern Samuel Pepys: Up betimes and the boy came with my boots, now-mended, and made a half young charge, which suited the morning and came into the room, the night's naptime player from The Ship at Venice, Cal. Then came V. Porter and Mistress Corinne Barker and Harrison Fister and we had music and a gay time, all neglecting our labours, and I was reconciled against the boot-mending charge.

Great talk of the Prince and his visit and through the town about with my wife, poor wretch, and could not help but reflect that she was the prettiest of all the ladies I saw and in a generous moment I did take her to a flower store and buy her a brave rose, and then in great content to see B. Bralor, the poet, home from long travels.

At luncheon my head became full of strange figures for an engaging fellow told us how great money could be made boring into the earth for petrol. But K. C. B. made light of the matter and called it poppy-cock about it was.

Sorely tempted to put up money unbeknownst to my wife.

To Mistress Nell's where we had a breakfast of incomparable good cheer, taken from a great closet and it is surprisingly the liquor echoes in all the house. Many I have believed indulged until I saw the array of bottles. I pray none becomes breakers of the day with stills.

Dinner on a fine cut of beef, very rare, and I did tell my wife a great many fooleries of the day when I was a scrivener on the public journals and she laughed more than I have heard her since I dropped the two soft-boiled eggs on my new sortout. Fell to reading a silly writ book and so to bed.

Another dramatic critic has succumbed to the lure of press agency: Alfred Head, long the capacious judge of the drama for the Herald, has become publicity purveyor for David Belasco. I am hoping that Mr. Head will enlighten me along with the rest of the public. For a long time I have wondered from whence came Mr. Belasco's collar.

WHO'S WHO IN THE DAYS NEWS

SIR WILLIAM OSLER

To the man of science the honored name of Osler has long been known. To the general reading public it is familiar largely through the alleged Osler statement that a man should be chloroformed at sixty. This was a distorted declaration which traveled far and wide, and, no doubt, is believed by many to this very day.

Possibly those who continue to put faith in the chloroform story will find a mild example of the irony of fate in the fact that Sir William Osler, now a professor of medicine in the University of Oxford, recently celebrated his seventieth birthday.

day and celebrated it in a way that left little doubt of his vitality and enduring usefulness. Many distinguished friends honored his birthday celebration by their presence, the vice-chancellor of the university, the prime minister, and the distinguished educator who presided at the gathering, felicitously remarked that he hoped Sir William would abide for many years to come.

This is the scientist of three score and ten, the veteran who is honored by his profession, who, according to the alleged Osler theory, should have been put to sleep ten years ago, his usefulness having ended.

It has been claimed that what Dr. Osler really said at the time he was so unhappily misquoted was this: "When a man no wax or honey can bring home, he should in the interests of an institution be dissolved from the hive to give more laborers room."

It must be said with the boys, or else he is irretrievably lost.

To keep his mind receptive, plastic and impressionable he must travel with the men who are doing the work of the world the men between the ages of twenty-five and forty."

The recent strike in Brooklyn was a good thing in a way. It taught the Brooklynites that they really had legs. They had to tramp many miles each day because no cars were running. Now they have gone back to their couching and sitting. Desk, telephone, push-button, subway, surface cars, automobiles and elevators have made an old fashion pair of legs as useless as a rusty shotgun.

The arrogance of the New York police surprised all understanding. In a lonely stretch of Central Park at dusk the other evening I was romping my dog. A copper stealing a smoke behind a tree finally saw me. Being a canine militant I barked up with my dog at his approach. He wanted to know why the dog wasn't muzzled and leashed. I told him that no one was around and that the dog needed exercise. "No one around? Well I'm someone," he shouted. I told him I was a zero. I also said that I had never seen a New York policeman with anything but an itching palm and if he expected to collect from me he was mistaken. I was ready to go to jail or any place else but my dog was going to continue his romp unless he felt like carrying me away or using a club. He whined at the roadside and evidently changed his mind for he said nothing when I passed by. When I got home a neighbor came in to tell me that his apartment had been robbed and the police came around and said it wasn't his right for not having a burglar alarm. That ended their interest in the matter. Even on the street the New York police are insolent if asked a civil question.

WHEN WILL HE EVER TAKE THE HINT THAT HIS WELCOME IS WORN OUT!



The Regular

"And Tommy ain't a bloomin' fool, you bet that Tommy seen!"

I'm one of the Regular Army men, enlisted before the war.

When fifteen per was the pay we got—

an' I learned to be soldiers for—

I joined in the days when Olive Drab was tarkin' in real solid.

An' it wasn't often a doughboy found a "welcome" upon the mat.

I'm a hero now, an' the ladies how an' it's pleasant enough, an' yet it's worryin' me how long 'twill be till the people again forget!

"Only a common soldier."

That's what they used to say.

Tho' they must of seen I was straight and clean.

The same as I am today.

I looks at the flags a-travin'.

I think of them times that's past.

An' I'm sayin': "Yes, it is true, I guess, How long is it gonna last?"

The National Guard comes homeward

from fightin' the ugly Tents.

The drafted men got their papers an' put on their civic suits;

They all of them done their portion, we regulars done the same,

But we gotta go on playin' the steady army game.

They finished their bit, all right, an' quit; their glory will not be lost.

An' the regular force gets dinged, of course, but—I have my fingers crossed!

"Only a common soldier."

It used to be said with sneers.

An' I still recall every slight an' all

The scorn of them bygone years.

Just now I'm a social lion

Enjoyin' it while I can.

Till the graft goes bust an' they say:

"He's just

A Regular Army man,

A roughneck brute in a khaki suit,

A Regular Army man!"

—Berton Bralor in Life.

Only Twenty Years Ago

Nobody swatted the fly.

Nobody had seen a silo.

Nobody wore a wrist watch.

Nobody wore white shoes.

Nobody sprayed orchards.

Most young men had "ferry bills".

Advertisers did not tell the truth.

Farmers came to town for their mail.

The heavens were not full of man-birds.

Nor the seas alive with underwater locusts.

The hired girl drew one fifty a week and was happy.

The butcher "threw in" a chunk of liver.

The merchant "threw in" a pair of suspenders with every suit.

Nobody "listened in" on the telephone.

There were no sane Fourth's nor electric meters.

Straw stacks were burned instead of baled.

Publishing a country newspaper was not a business—it was a duelling game.

There were no Bolsheviks nor international anarchists.

The safety razor had not introduced the clean-shaven face.

—Brush and Pall.

Abe Martin



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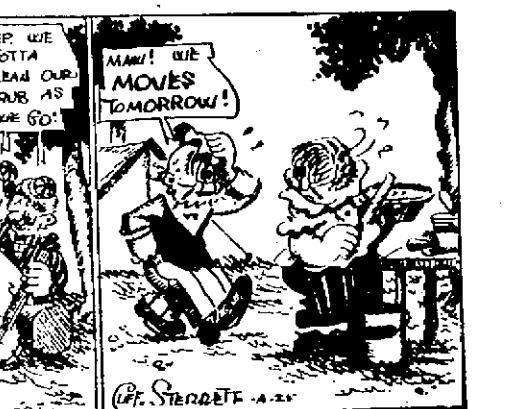
POLLY AND HER PALS



Paw Has An Idea He'll Have To Do The Furnishing



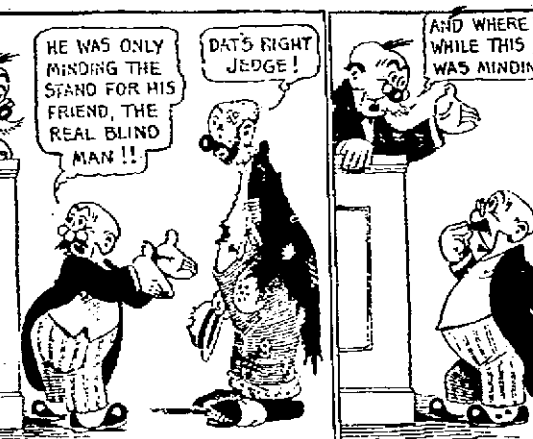
BY CLIFF STERRETT



LOUIE, THE LAWYER



Maybe He Likes Music



BY M. M. BRANNER



THAT'S DIFFERENT

By Probasco



Mrs. Samuel Hanes Unfortunate Victim

DR. STEVEN G. HORN, INTERVIEW, 10/10/01

An automobile driven by Miss Margaret Lampton, of 1044 Highland avenue, was slightly damaged when it collided with a machine driven by Miss Gertrude Russell, 1734 Fifth street, at the corner of Fourth and Officers streets, last evening. Miss Lampton was going south on Officers, while Mr. Russell was driving east on Fourth. The collision occurred when the two cars reached the corner of Fourth and Officers. The Russell car was only slightly damaged.

For the first time in local police court history, no arrests were made on circus day.

John Robinson's big circus, which was here Saturday turned the trick as not a single arrest was made. Chief Clark stopped all the games chance early Saturday night.

Seventy-five couples attended the platform dance given near Union Mills on the West Side Saturday night by Chester Wallace of this city. Jan Arthur's orchestra, furnished the music and dancing continued till 11 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Patton have gone to Quebec, Canada, where they will spend their vacation. Mr. Patton is the local representative of the Mutual Life Insurance company and for writing more than \$200,000 worth of insurance last year he and his wife have had their expenses paid on the delightful trip. Agents who work in to enjoy the trip will meet the president of their company today.

Constable Rocky Newman, of Rarden, recaptured James Lanthorn, who broke jail at Rarden recently, and brought him to the county jail for safe-keeping. Sunday. Lanthorn is charged with breaking into the of the Rarden Milling Company several days ago. Lanthorn tunneled his way out the Rarden jail.

The Woman's City Club meets this afternoon at 2:30 in the assembly room of the Security Bank building. Every woman in the city is urged to attend the club meeting. Matter of importance will be considered at afternoon session.

PARIS, August 25.—Germany less desirous to invite allied troops to police Silesia before they have that right under the treaty, which stipulates that they are to safeguard the plebiscite there. The Silesian situation is unsatisfactory and the Germans are reported to be bringing about a recurrence of the recent reign of terror of that province.

Oliver Chamberlain
 Oliver Chamberlain, aged 53 years, well known resident of Scioto county, answered the final summons Sunday morning at six o'clock at the home of his brother Ralph Chamberlain, who resides near Verona.

(Vaneburg Sun)
Saturday Marshal Rozelle and one Milas Cooper, charged with holding intoxicating liquors into a riot. At his trial in Police Judge A. H. Parker swore that he saw four quarts in his grip and Stricklett swore that he saw about one-fourth of a pint. Two witnesses, Bruce and Pat, swore that they did not see any.

Without the City Attorney's aid, the attorney who had been sent to Judge Ingram for action promptly freed him, claiming he permitted the betting in and the flow of money in the territory.

Miss Mary Keeselberg, Waterbury, in her eighty-ninth year, passed to the Great Unknown at 1 o'clock Sunday morning, after a most acute and painful life. She was a devoted mother and a true friend, and had taken much interest in all about her, and had never taken the attitude that she had seen God's hand through a lifetime, and in all was for the best. She leaves to mourn her demise, a son, Manlio, and a grandson, Hugh, of Waterbury, besides friends who are legion here at home and wherever her travels had taken her.

L. H. Hutchinson
and was received here Saturday
morning at 11 o'clock by L. H. Hutch-
inson, brother of Sheriff Charles Hutch-
inson. The deceased was a former
friend of Waynes, but had been in
prison at Oklawaha for a number of

[illegible]

As far as is known at the Recruit-
ing Recertifying Office, Thursday, Aug-
ust 28 will be the last chance for dis-
charged officers, enlisted men, field
clerks, and field nurses to be award-
ed the Victory Button in this city.

Those who neglect to present their
Discharge papers by noon Thursday
will very probably have to mail same
to Cincinnati or to Columbus to get
the Victory Button, and to avoid this
un-necessary trouble, and to avoid this
button being sent to Portsmouth leaving
you without a discharge at the Recruit-
ing Office, at some time between now and

Thursday noon so the officer who is
sent from Boston can sign the paper
when it arrives, the Recertifying Of-
fice stays in Portsmouth only a couple
of hours and it is necessary for your
papers to be ready for his signature
before his arrival, so kindly be prompt
and bring or send your discharge to
the office earlier than Thursday
noon.

To get the Victory Button you must
have been honorably discharged from
the U. S. Army, and S. A. T. C., whether
you went across or served in this
country, whether you were disab-

led or discharged on account of expiration
of term or service, and are entitled to
the button, however the button is given
only to those representing the Army,
Navy, Marine Corps, Coast Guard, and
does not apply to discharged Navy
men or those in Naval Reserve. There
were 39 Victory Buttons issued in Bos-
ton, Thursday, Aug. 21, and a Recruit-
ing Officer has been sent to New York
to issue the previous Thursday, August
14, but this coming Thursday is ex-
pected to exceed even the other two
and this in view it is requested that
the discharges be brought or sent to
the office at once and avoid a rush of

Five of the new sheet mills in the Whitaker-Gresner plant will probably be ready for operation by September 1. They are receiving their finishing touches. With these mills in operation the company will have 12 sheet mills in running order. The new mills will operate three shifts each day and will materially add to the firm's list of skilled workmen.

MONROE, Aug. 25.—Messrs. Simon of the Hailey Coal company which about 100 miners. Plans are being considered for the installation of two or three cutting machines by way of modernizing the mines.

Lodge Will Meet Tonight
 Harmony Lodge No. 1, P. No. 32 will meet tonight in Kelly hall, Gallia street.

CUTTING AFFRAY AT CIRCUS GROUND

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SUPPLY CO.**

Automobiles driven by Odo E. Mr. Oakes was thrown against
Oakes, and Harold Seavel reflected
off Balth and Eighth streets Sunday
morning and both machines were dam-
aged considerably.

Mr. Seavel is a well known
worker

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We Do The Rest

<p>PLAYER PIANOS</p> <p>The player piano with the human touch. Easy terms if desired.</p> <p>R. C. SELLER 741 Fourth St.</p>	<p>The inclusion of local interest in the program will be good to the community.</p> <p>Secretary reports that were in the program for the family of Col. A. A. Martin, who was killed in the war.</p>	<p>evening. This will be good to the community.</p> <p>Irish people, who are happy to take an active part in the program of the Martin Road, will be under treatment in the</p>
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The English Fishery along one of Emil Auliana's bicycle shop was drawn by Alva Werner, who held the lot No. 17, which was the lucky number.

Mr. Virginia Irish has returned to her home in Frontenac after a short visit to local friends.

Counting the Cost.
Prospective Bridegroom (to future ship)—These prices make plain up all thoughts of marriage may realize it'll be cheaper to let me go for breach of promise.—London Opinion.

WINN-PAGET WEDDING IS BIG SOCIAL EVENT IN LONDON



The secret marriage of the Duke of Clarence and the Duchess of Clarence was celebrated at St. Margaret's church in London after their marriage. The photograph shows the Duke and Duchess of Clarence standing in front of the church.